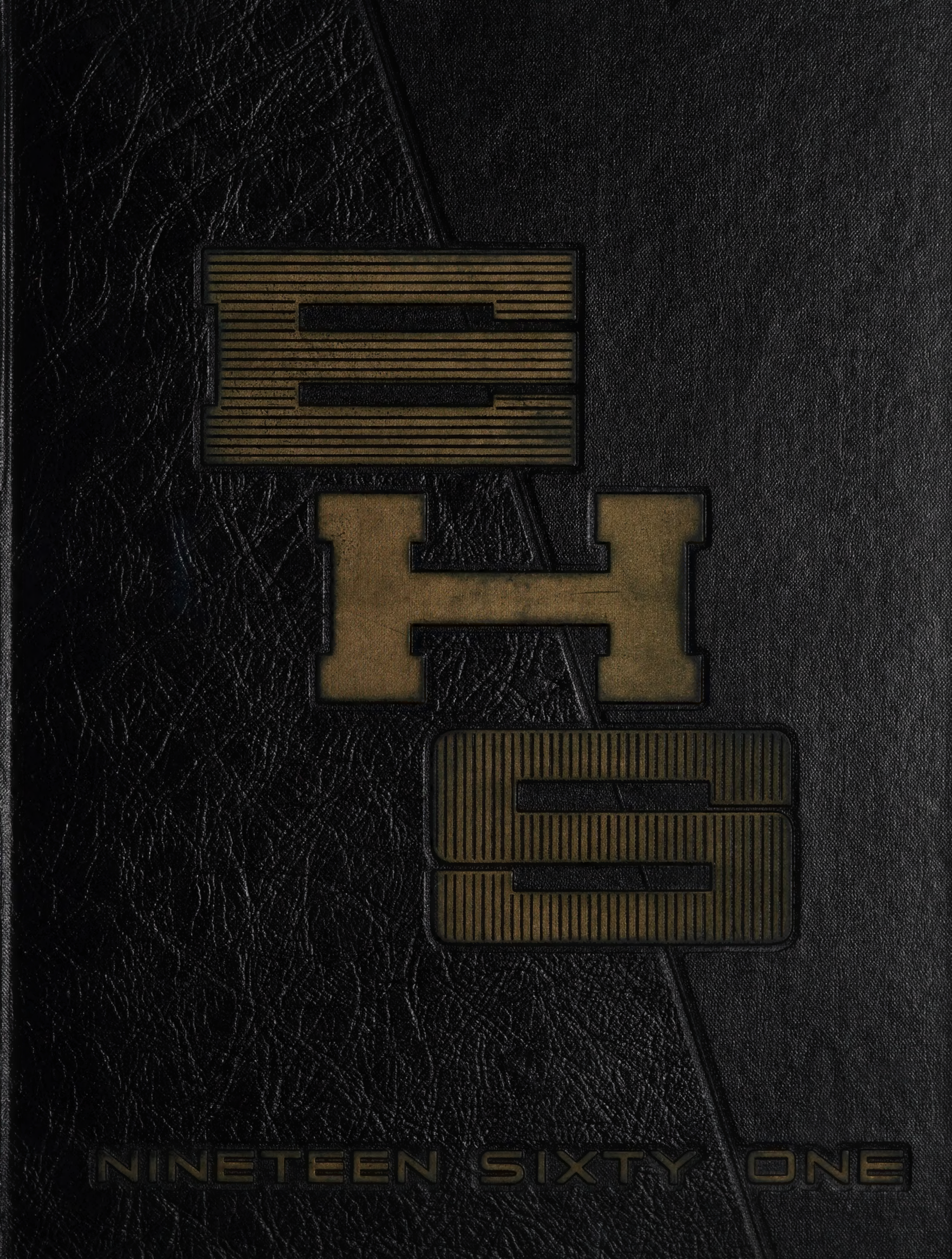
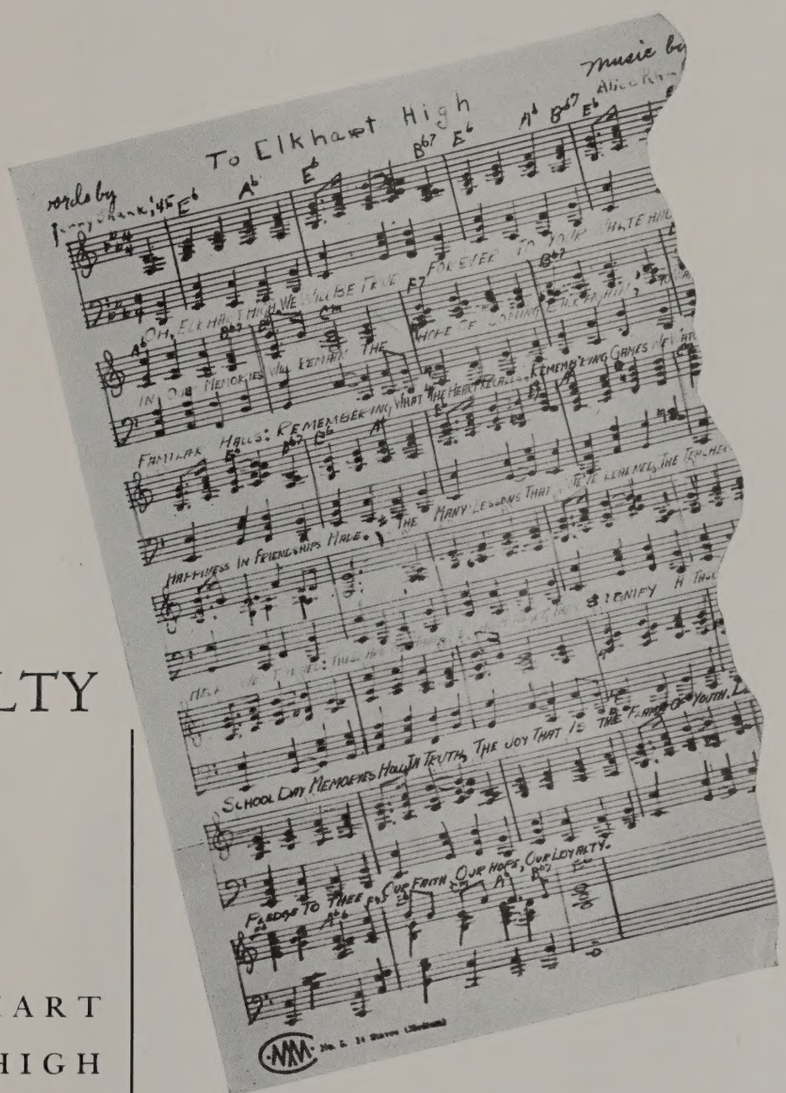

NINETEEN SIXTY ONE

Danny Alan Stork.

The 1961 Pennant Annual . . .



Presents . . .

OUR HYMN of LOYALTY

ELKHART
HIGH
SCHOOL
AT
ELKHART,
INDIANA

Our song,
"TO ELKHART HIGH"
is a tradition . . .

of master teachers, of great coaches, who have gone on, but are still remembered,

of famous students, nationally known,

of unknown students, who slipped away unnoticed,

of teachers and students who brought much, and gave freely,

of those who brought nothing, and left emptyhanded,

of scholars who loved learning,

of rebels, who hated school,

of the loud ones, the merry ones, the quiet ones, the tragic ones . . .

of a long, long line, so long, so wrapped in memories of EHS that there will never be an end.

The Year



Gerry Shank
(Mrs. Fred Vondy)

Written by . . .
officially adopted 1945



Alice Rhodes
(Mrs. Wm. H. Tite)

For some time the need for a new school song had been apparent. The fight song, adapted to Northwestern's was satisfactory for games but hardly appropriate for all school occasions, especially assemblies.

In 1945 C. P. Woodruff began a plan for dignifying school assemblies. Students learned to come in get quiet and pay attention. Pep sessions were moved to the gym. All these changes made the need of a loyaltysong more obvious.

An appeal was made to the creative writing class students for a poem which could be set to music. Geraldine Shank wrote such a poem, then another senior, Alice Rhodes, wrote the music.

Presented to the students at a special assembly, the school hymn, "To Elkhart High" was officially adopted in March 1945.

in Song

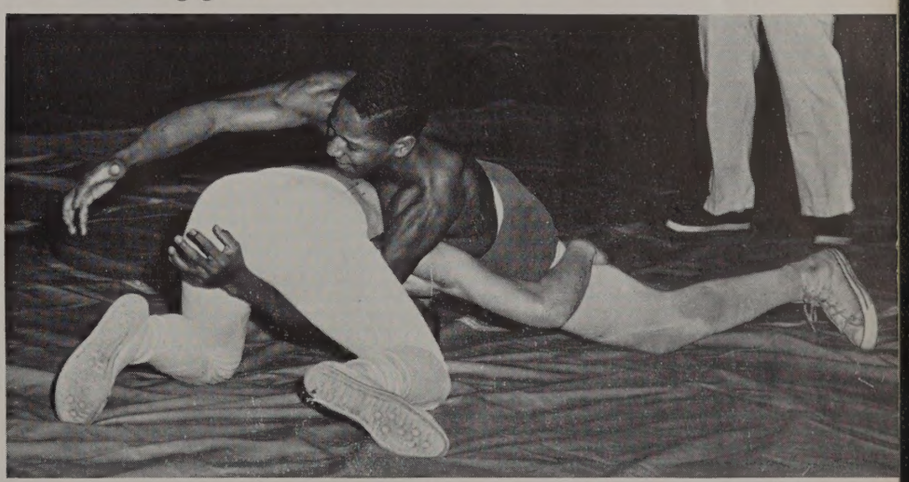
The many lessons that we learned . . .



These are the things we shan't forget . . .



Remembering games . . .



The joy that is the flame . . .







"OUR FAITH, OUR HOPE, OUR LOYALTY . . ."







"The many
lessons that
we've learned"



. . . AND HAPPINESS IN FRIENDSHIPS MADE

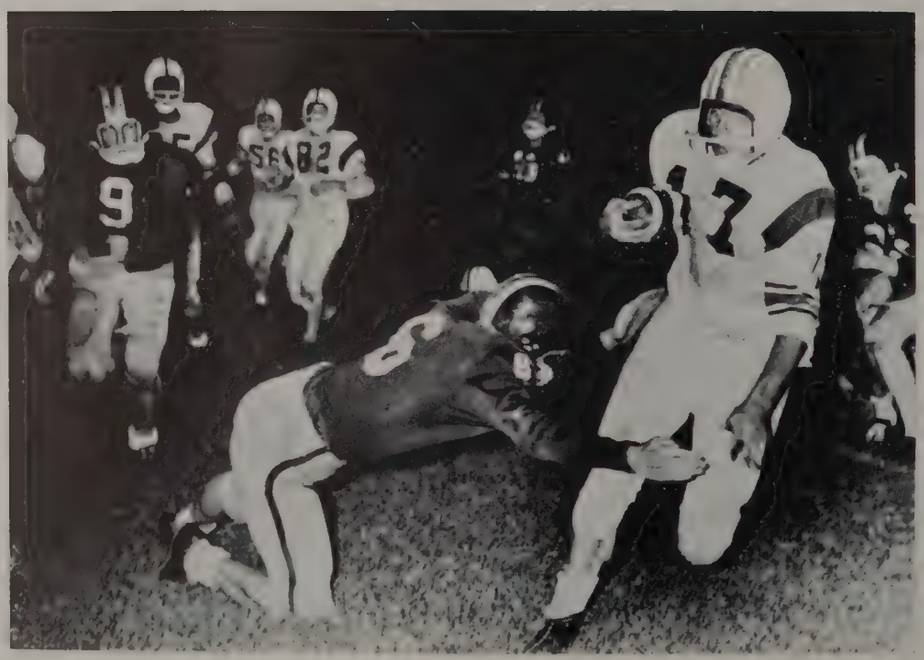




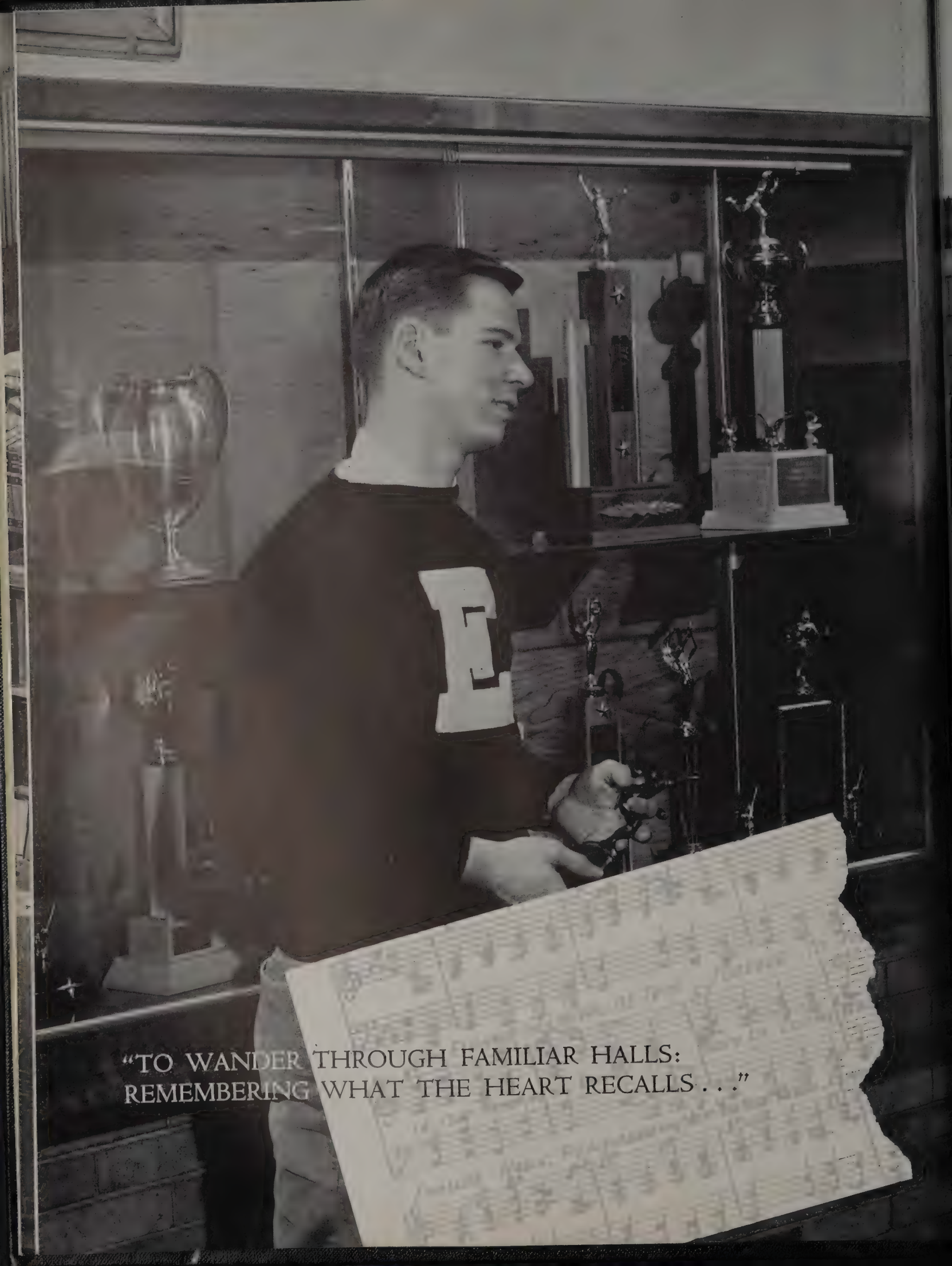




"REMEMB'RING GAMES . . ."







"TO WANDER THROUGH FAMILIAR HALLS:
REMEMBERING WHAT THE HEART RECALLS . . ."


AUDITORIUM



OUR SCHOOL DAY MEMORIES . . .

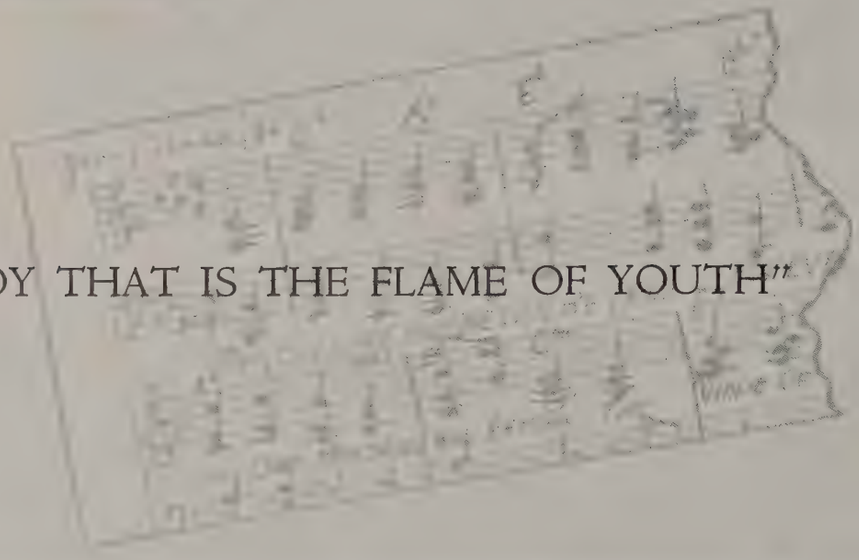




HOLD, IN TRUTH . . ."



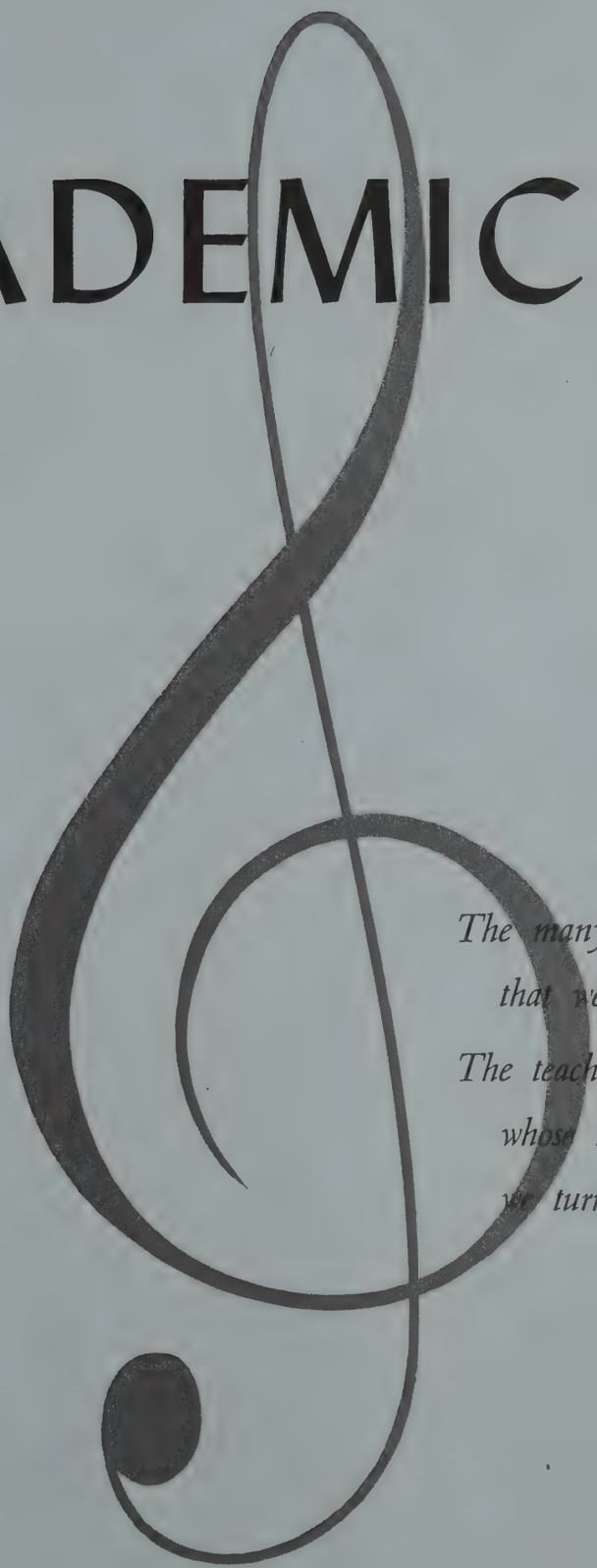




"THE JOY THAT IS THE FLAME OF YOUTH"



ACADEMIC



The many lessons
that we've learned,
The teachers for
whose help
we turned . . .


To Elkhart
Words by
Jerry Shank, '45
OH, ELKHART HIGH, WE WILL BE TRUE
IN OUR MEMORIES WILL REMAIN THE
FAMILAR HALLS: REMEMBERING WHAT
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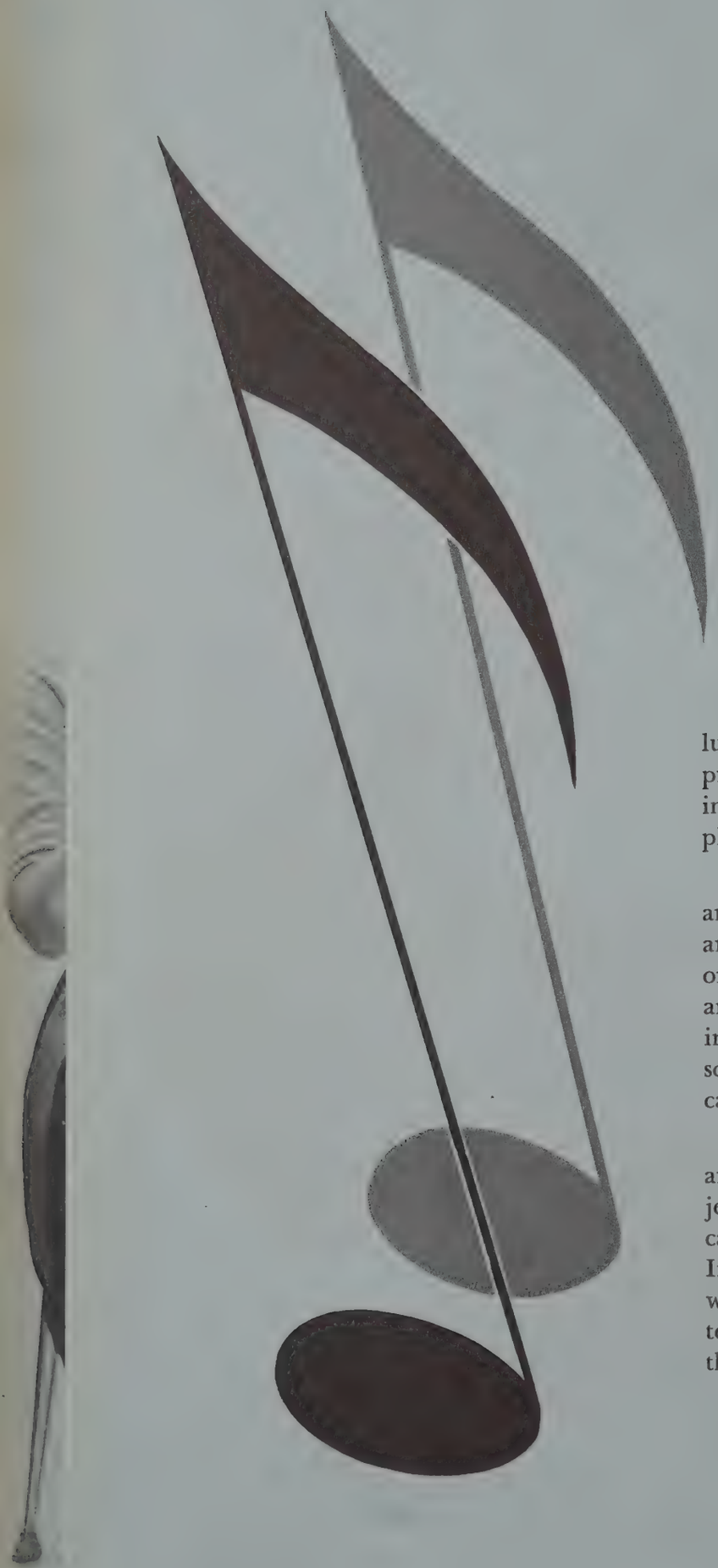




Classes begin at 8 . . .


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EVER TO
COMING



EHS is proud of its wide-spread and varied curriculum, a curriculum which is built for students. College prep courses are offered for students who plan to go into business, and vocational training for those who plan to go into industry.

In science, math, and English, many courses at EHS are presented on a college level, but general courses are also given, adapted to those who are less capable or less ambitious. In some departments, accelerated and remedial courses add the third and fourth track in the subject. To quote our school philosophy, the school is "organized around the needs, interests and capacities of the pupil."

Students have a chance to become well-rounded in art and music, as well as in informative or skilled subjects; experience in debating, dramatics, radio broadcasting, and in many other special courses is available. In summation, a good all-around education, in a good well-equipped high school, with a corps of good teachers, is within the reach of all boys and girls in the Elkhart area.

The EHS Curriculum



Ever since the launching of Sputnick caused the U. S. to realize the importance of science and math, the EHS curriculum committee has followed the national trend. We already had good courses and teachers in these subjects, but we improved the labs and equipment, and, so students think, toughened the courses.

However, stress was put not only on these two subjects; the faculty also realized that other courses were important too. Although adjusted to individual differences, the entire EHS curriculum is geared to high standards of achievement.

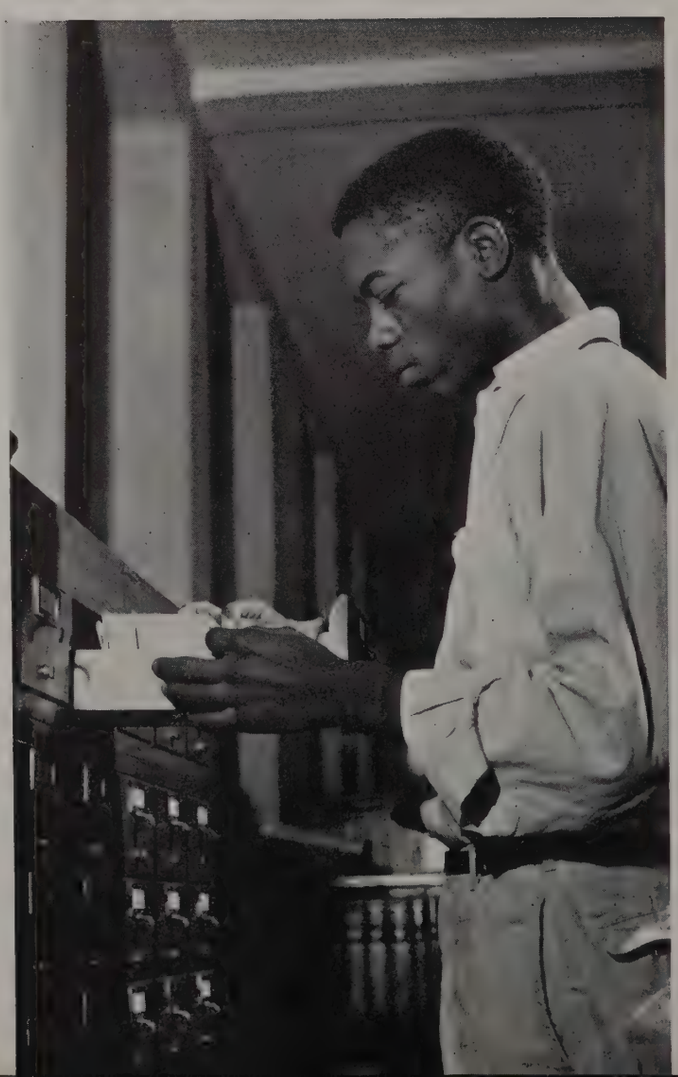
Dick Holdeman reads his theme in Writing Lab

ENGLISH:
varied yet basic courses

English Literature and Writing Laboratory constitute one unit of English in the twelfth grade.

English Literature, a one semester college-prep course, is a survey of English literature from the Anglo-Saxon period to the present. The course offers many challenges for critical thinking, as well as opportunities for developing appreciation of artistic style in writing.

Writing Laboratory is divided into two parts: tests and drills in fundamentals, and writing assignments. This course is built on college requirements for freshmen in composition courses. Students write two and three themes a week, themes in which form, mechanics, and content are stressed. During the course, students are taught how to do research papers.



Jerry Hart, like the rest of us, learns the importance of the card catalog

give us skills

The Reading Laboratory, a one-semester non-credit course, helps students to improve their comprehension, speed, vocabulary, using pacers and films.

Besides being able to read and write well, we at EHS feel that being able to speak well is equally important. Each sophomore has basic speech work, which he may add to in advanced courses. Our Speech 3-4 courses are designed to train students in radio and television work as well as in discussion and debate. Through announcing and broadcasting on our own radio show, through dramatics, and interpretation, the students learn to express themselves creatively and fluently.



Reading Lab. Using pacers

Speaking: Mary Francis Yoder entertains the speech class





teach us appreciation, self-expression

In all English classes, fundamentals are stressed. Sophomore, junior, and senior classes all have workbooks and drills in spelling, grammar, and punctuation. Practice in the use of this study comes in the writing of many themes.

English at EHS is planned on a four-track system: remedial, general, college prep, and accelerated classes. In all classes, films, recordings, and extra materials enliven the regular textbooks.

The new accelerated English course offered to those students who have exceptional ability is rich in cultural values. In the tenth and eleventh grades the course is divided into English and American Literature respectively. In the twelfth grade the students apply the teaching of the great philosophies to the modern world.

Yes, we still have old-fashioned grammar. But we also have record and films





Mrs. Grillo checks on French students



Panels make a class more interesting

LANGUAGES:
One Lab, four choices

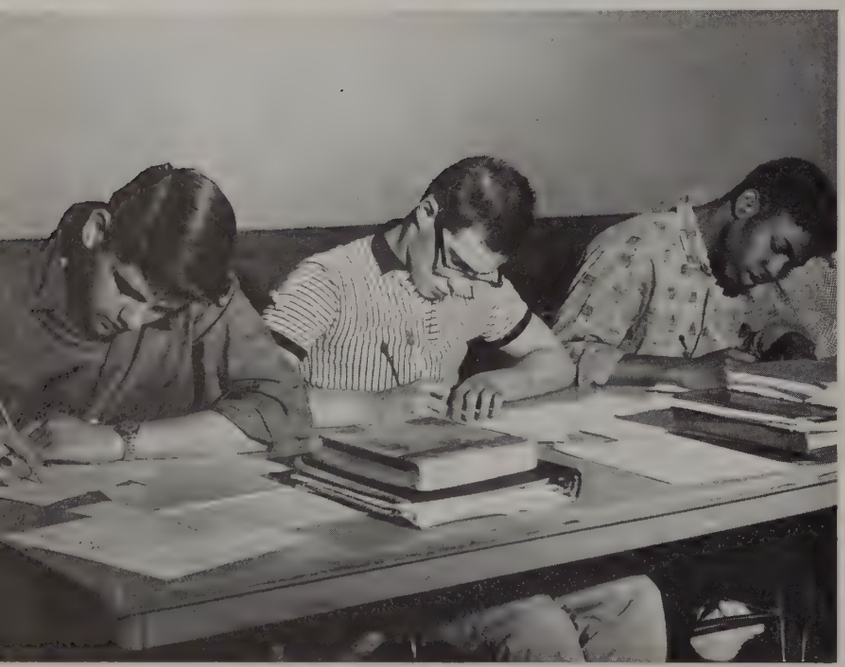
EHS offers four foreign languages: Latin, French, Spanish, and German. The realization that our world continues to get smaller makes it necessary that we understand the people of other countries. By combining the study of grammar with speaking experience, our language department teaches students how to converse through up-to-date vocabularies and proper pronunciation.

The new language laboratory, equipped with a tape recorder for each student, helps students improve their fluency by allowing them and the teacher to hear themselves speak.

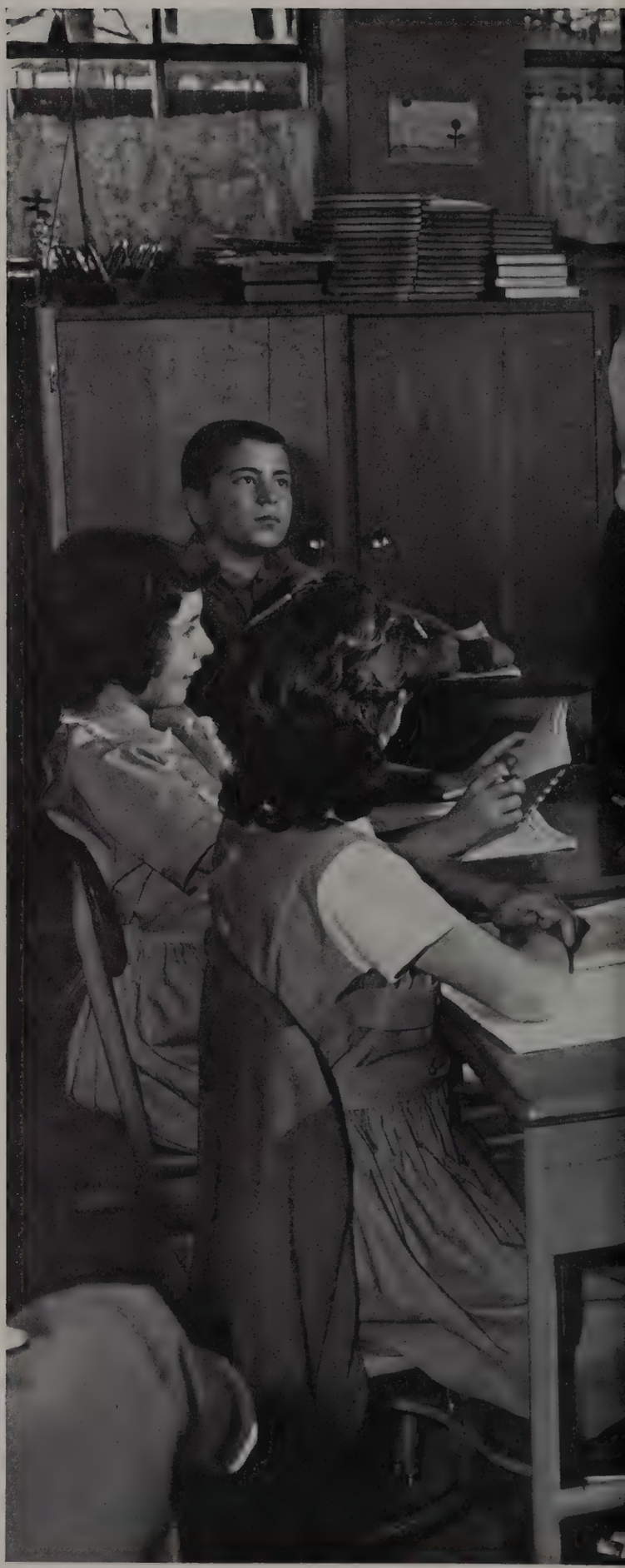
SOCIAL STUDIES:
learning to be citizens

Two of our social studies courses, United States History and American Problems, are such basic training for our future lives as Americans that we are all required to take them. In these courses we follow the development of our democracy in order to gain an appreciation of our heritage. World History teaches us the history of the world as a whole so that we may better understand current world problems and their relation to our democracy.

To aid in our personal and social development, we may take Effective Living, or to judge whether we would like to teach future Americans, we may participate in Cadet Teaching. All our social studies courses are preparation for our futures.



World History: tests require concentration



Cadet Teaching: Kay Krider, cadet teacher at Willowdale

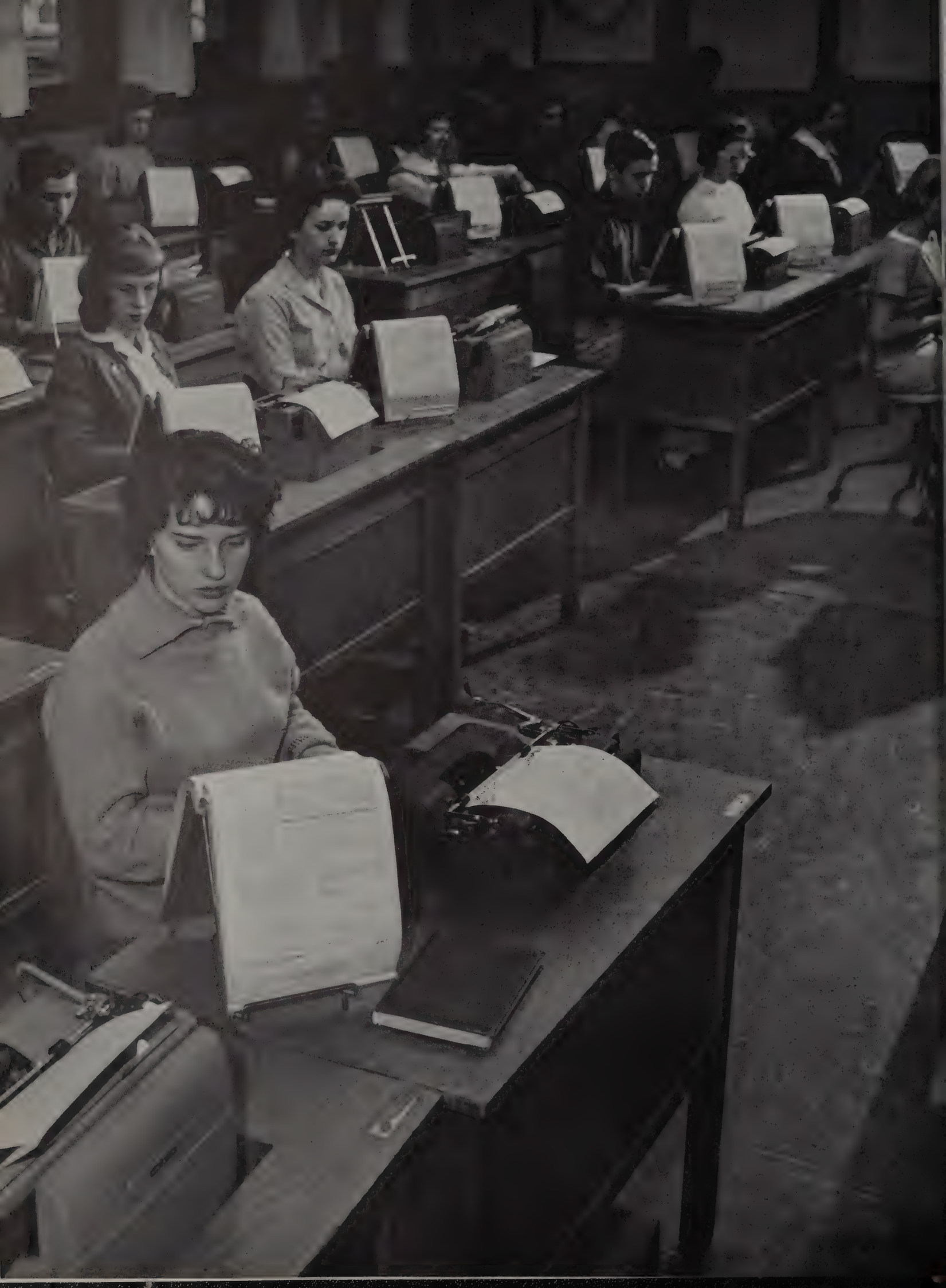




U.S. History panel studies current affairs in the American Observer



American Problems students study voting procedures



COMMERCIAL:
courses lead into jobs

Typewriting, bookkeeping, shorthand, merchandising, and clerical practice are available in our commercial department.

The typing course consists of learning to operate machines, and learning business forms.

In Bookkeeping, the student learns about office techniques in records and statements, business transactions and organization, and in handling tax forms. Bookkeeping 12, an advanced course, is combined with commercial law. In this course, the student learns to apply the law to practical situations.

In the vocational merchandising course, students apply what they have learned about sales transactions, selling medias, consumer demand, and store policies by actual on-the-job training.



Bookkeeping: balancing a ledger

Typing: acquiring speed, accuracy

Selling: arranging displays





Chem Lab: testing for unknowns

SCIENCE: exploring new fields

By enlightening us about the plants, animals, substances, and laws of nature which we encounter every day, our science courses help us to understand the world in which we live. Well-lighted and well-equipped labs, with excellent instructors, have given this department a state-wide high rating.

Some of our courses, such as physical science, are courses which can be of direct use in our lives; others, such as physics and chemistry, are preparations for our further education in college. In either case, our science courses help us discover vast areas of new knowledge.

Science courses teach us the most valuable lesson of all: the scientific method of thinking. We learn to check facts, to wait until all these facts are checked before jumping to conclusions; be open-minded; to experiment; to see the relationships between ideas; between causes and results, and most of all, not to be hasty or careless in our work or our thinking.

In addition to our basic science courses, we are able to study advanced biology, advanced physics or Chemistry 13. Each of these advanced courses leads us farther into scientific fields, increasing our knowledge of the world in which we live. In our basic courses, we use equipment ranging from test tubes to microscopes; then we become better acquainted with the more complicated equipment which our science department owns. These advanced courses emphasize the fact that science is a broad and never-ending field.





Phys. Science: an experiment in condensation

Physics: a working model demonstrates radio operation





MATH:
the science of reasoning

We at EHS study the principles of mathematics because we see the need for mathematics in solving the complex problems of today. No longer will the fundamentals of arithmetic suffice for our lives. Now in many professions and administrative positions it is necessary to have a fairly comprehensive knowledge of mathematics. We derive other benefits and pleasures as we see the logic and beauty in mathematics when we attempt to evolve theories about numbers and their many relationships.

One famous mathematician, G. H. Hardy, wrote: "The mathematician's patterns, like the painter's or the poet's, must be beautiful; the ideas, like the colors of the words, must fit together in a harmonious way . . . there is no permanent place in the world for ugly mathematics."

Thus, mathematics is good training for all phases in the lives of each of us.

Mr. Ehrsam makes 12T problems clear



Podawiltz explains a trig problem

Geometry requires hard thinking





Seniors choose fabrics, colors for the Bldg. Trades house



HOMEMAKING:

a woman's career

A few years ago home economics was considered a course for those girls of lesser intelligence, but recently it has been recognized as necessary education, preparatory to the most important job there is: homemaking. In three years, courses in economics cover all the various aspects of homemaking: budgeting for food or clothing, care of children, decorating and sewing.

In the sophomore year there is a semester of sewing and a semester of cooking. In the junior year there are two choices. One class is set up on the general principle of a discussion group; the other class is a more advanced version of the sophomore year. In this advanced course students study fibers, fabrics, meats, and the basic four-food requirements of the body. In the senior course, called "Preparation For Marriage," girls learn how to care for babies and how to meet daily home problems.

Home Arts: remodeling clothing



VOCATIONAL TRAINING: from classroom to job



Printing:

Several years ago Elkhart realized the growing need for well-trained men in the vocational field and built the Vocational Arts Building to house this department. Under the guidance of Mr. Organ, this department has functioned efficiently, preparing many boys for their places in today's world.

Basic courses in woodwork, printing, electricity, and all shop courses give boys a chance to choose the type of vocational work they prefer. In junior and senior years, these courses are of two and three hours in length so that a boy gets enough training to go out on a job after graduation. Printing, electricity, auto mechanics, machine shop, wood work, mechanical and architectual drawing, and building trades are all taught by competent instructors in well-equipped, well-lighted rooms.

Setting type, linotyping, and running the press



Architectual Drawing: making a blueprint



Each shop has special work, up-to-date equipment

Shop courses require careful attention to details and special skills in operating machines and handling tools. Each shop has special work, up-to-date equipment.

In Vocational Drawing, an advanced course, all the fundamentals of drawing are covered.

Vocational Building Trades, a course in advanced woodwork, is set up for seniors only. In this course, actual building problems are solved on actual construction. They consist of problems in masonry, rough framing, finish carpentry, electricity, plumbing and heating as involved in the construction of a house. The house, when completed, is sold to pay the expenses.

Mike Toth works on a shaper



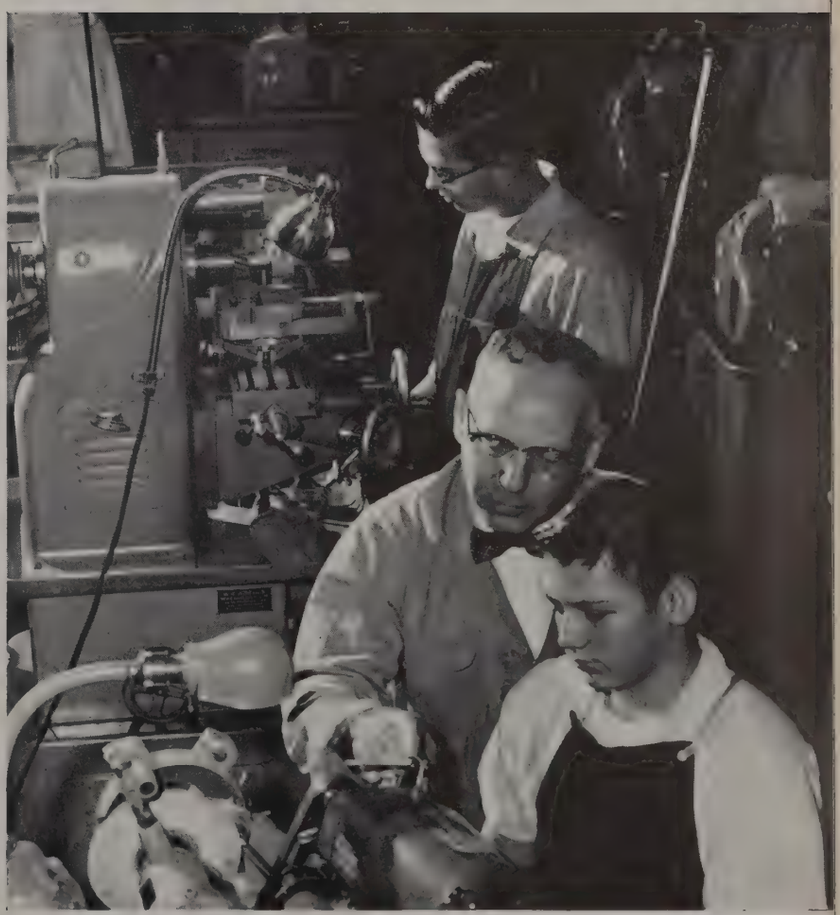
Auto Shops: Solving those engine troubles



In electricity classes, radio units are studied







Tools must be accurate, points out Mr. Hart



Art Workshop: Sculpturing papier mache forms

FINE ARTS:
a chance to be creative

General Art is designed to develop and maintain artistic attitudes rather than to learn specific skills. A student may go into Art Workshop if interested in creative self-expression. In this course, each student receives individual instruction in his chosen field whether it be sculpture, painting, or drawing.

In music, students can participate in band, orchestra, or choir. Each meets daily. A course is also offered in music appreciation. Difficult classical selections, individual and sectional rehearsals, and excellent teaching result in high ratings for EHS music departments.



Sketching from a live model



Mixing paint, the first step in doing an abstract design



The string section of the EHS Orchestra

Driver Education:

Because of the great need to know highway safety rules, EHS offers a driver education course, which seeks to train students in proper attitudes for the safe and courteous operation of automobiles on our streets and highways.

This course combines twenty hours of classroom instruction with six hours of behind-the-wheel training; both emphasize a knowledge of mental, physical, and emotional factors affecting driving. Three teachers and three school-owned cars are in use daily.



Mr. Janzaruk instructs Larry Alt in parking

Physical Education:

Physical education classes, which meet three times a week in one semester and two times a week in the other semester, are required for all sophomores. These classes include general conditioning activities, sports, mass and individual games, rhythmics, self-testing activities, and problems of hygiene.

Although our games are held at the North Side gym, physical ed classes meet in the EHS gyms. Each gym has locker rooms, showers, and towel service.

The sophomore girls' gym class in an exciting game





Mr. Ralph Miller, Mr. Elwood Brannon, Mrs. Milo Lunt, Mr. Melvin Glendenning, Mr. Howard Christner

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Every Monday evening a group of citizens meets in Mr. Rice's office to discuss the many problems concerned with the welfare of our schools . . . this is the Board of Trustees, an unselfish board of men and women, faced with many details of building, financing, hiring of teachers and workers, maintaining and running a well-rounded school program.

For several years their problem has been to keep pace with our rapidly growing school population. The immediate problem is the building and financing of the third new junior high school, but at the same time, grade schools are having to be remodeled, repaired, and in many cases, expanded.

In order that the community know of their work and problems, the Board meetings are heard over the local radio station. Parent and teachers often attend, as invited guests, and the local paper carries the stories of Board actions and decisions.

Superintendent J. C. Rice

Although Mr. Rice spends much of his time in meetings concerned with problems of the Elkhart schools (meetings with the Board, with civic groups, county groups, state groups), he has never lost his interest in teenagers. This is shown by the time he spends in the wise counselling of those who marry while in school, in his ardent support of our sports, and on such occasions as those planned this year for seniors to visit the state legislature.

His hobby is gardening; he is especially interested in dahlias. No doubt this hobby gives him release from heavy responsibilities which he carries so capably in supervising school affairs.



Mr. J. C. Rice

Assistant Superintendent Harold Oyer

This year Mr. Harold Oyer left his principalship at North Side to become our assistant superintendent. With offices in the Short House, Mr. Oyer's job is especially concerned with the curricula of the junior and senior highs. Many of us know him; all of us feel that the job is in good hands.

Financing, Building

The building, financing and maintenance of the Elkhart schools is efficiently handled by these men, Mr. Burns and Mr. Woolenwebber, whom the students seldom see, but to whom we are indebted for the practical affairs of housing, heating, furnishing and of keeping us solvent.



Mr. Harold Oyer



Mr. Maurice Burns, business manager

Mr. Wm. Woolenwebber, superintendent of buildings and grounds



Principal C. P. Woodruff

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Mr. Woodruff, our principal, will be remembered by many of the EHS students who appreciate his interest and help in their problems. Although he is busy, Woody finds time to visit most senior homerooms during the year to discuss our responsibilities in school and community life.

From these talks we find that he really understands the students' point of view; that he speaks our language; that although he is firm, he is so human that no one is afraid to go into his office. (And speaking of his being human, don't ask him about his golf scores.)

Because of Woody's belief that the students should have a part in managing school affairs, students serve on every standing faculty committee helping plan activities, assemblies, guidance, and pep sessions.



Max Bell gives Woody a few tips on golf

Guidance Staffs

Mr. Glenn Updike, assistant principal, (testing, scholarships); Mr. Dorrance Rogers, dean of boys; Miss Anna Gookin, dean of girls — together with Mr. Woodruff, these three head the guidance activities, trying to give each student the kind of direction he needs.



The Deans and Mr. Updike discuss an EHS Cumulative Record



Junior and Senior Counsellors: Mr. McHargue, Miss McKeehan, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Hart

Counsellors

Although most of their time is consumed in planning programs and checking grades, all of our counsellors find time to advise us on the difficult business of growing up. Under the Elkhart plan one counsellor guides us through all three years, so that he gets to know us pretty well and becomes a real friend.



Sophomore and Transitional Counsellors: Mr. Flora, Miss Deal, Miss Kirkland, Mr. Kauffman



Homeroom Committee: Mr. Morgan, Mr. Kauffman, Miss Amsbaugh, Mr. Wysong

Guidance at EHS

Guidance at EHS falls roughly into three types; *program-making,* the attempt to give every student the subjects for which he is best fitted and which best fit into his plans for the future; *job-placement,* the effort to help pupils find part-time jobs; and *social guidance,* attention to the problems students have in their personal lives, and to getting along with others. As a part of this guidance program, the faculty is ever aware of the place which homework, attendance, assembly programs, sportsmanship, courtesy, and citizenship have in developing a good school.

Some guidance is done through the homerooms. The Homeroom Committee helps plan programs on each of the three levels; in the tenth year, getting oriented to EHS; in the eleventh year, choosing a vocation; in the twelfth year, preparing for college of a career. Some guidance is done through the two leagues, for example, the Girls League charm school or the "Cracker Barrel" sessions, informal discussions on various topics.

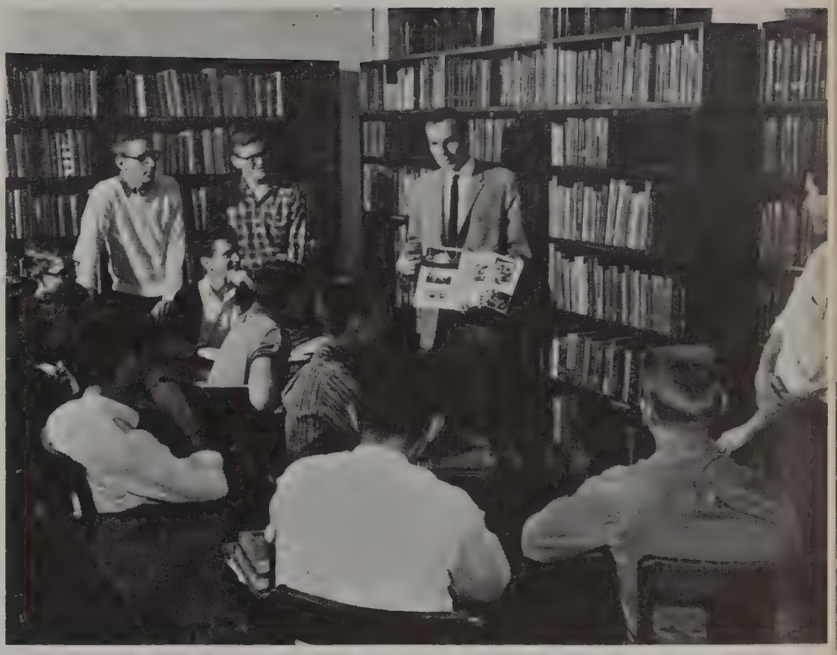


Homeroom programs often include talks from a foreign student: Umit Kesim, Turkey



Miss Kirkland gives advice on getting a job

Guidance: in careers, in course choices, in social matters.



Mr. Flora discusses colleges with junior boys



Girls League: a panel on marraige counselling led by Christine Prasse. A family counsellor, Mr. Bill Nye; a minister, Rev. William Burrill; a lawyer, Mr. Sam Rodino; a doctor, Dr. Keating



ADDISON, WILLARD B.
B.S., M.S.
Merchandising

AMSBAUGH, ANNA
A.B., M.S.
Home-Arts;
Home Arts Chairman

ARCHIBALD, PATRICIA
B.S.
Biology

BALDRIDGE,
DONALD W.
B.S.
Industrial Arts

BELL, JOE
B.S., M.S.
Commerce;
Commerce Chairman

BELL, MAX E.
B.S., M.S.
Commerce; Basketball
Coach; Golf Coach

BISHOP, M. IRENE
A.B.
Spanish

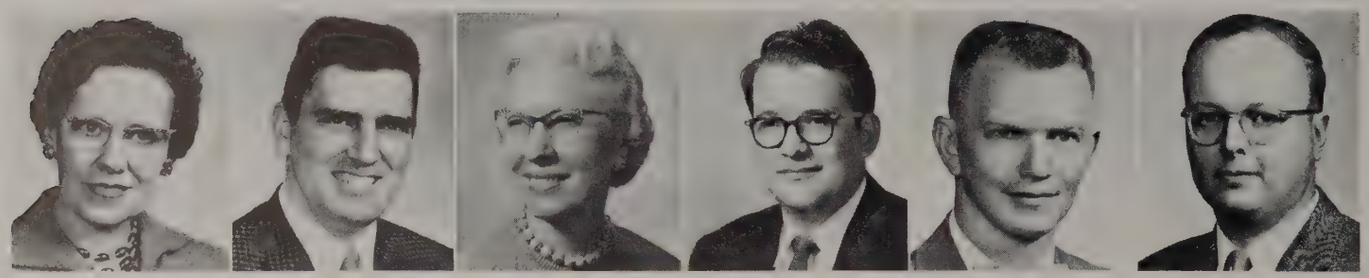
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Librarian

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English Chairman

BRINSON, PHILIP E.
B.A.
German

BRISENO, REBECCA
B.A., M.A.
Spanish



BURKHARDT, DOROTHY
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English

BURLESON, TRAVIS
B.A.
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BUSCHE, LOUISE M.
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BUSSARD, DONALD
B.S.
Speech, Dramatics

BUSSE, RUSSELL L.
B.S., M.S.
Mathematics

BYRD, GORDON L.
B.S.
Social Studies



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Social Studies;
Assistant Football Coach

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Industrial Arts

DANNHEISER, RON
B.A.
Biology,
Physical Science

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Director of
Instrumental Music

DEAL, JUNE E.
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Commerce; Counseling

DILLEN, G. CHRISTINE
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DIRKS, RUTHANN
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Commerce

DuVALL, JOHN L.
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Industrial Arts

EHRSAM, ROBERT
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Mathematics

FLORA, DAVID
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Social Studies;
Counseling

FOX, ALICE
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Mathematics

GISEL, CAROLYN R.
B.S.
Home Arts



GOULET, ROBERT
B.S.
Mathematics

GOWDY, WILLIAM L.
B.S.M., M.M.
Director of Vocal Music

GRATZER, FLORENCE E.
B.A., M.A.
English

GRILLO, OLIVIA
A.B.
French

HART, GLEN M.
B.S., M.S.
Industrial Arts; Counseling

HARTZLER, LEVI C.
B.A., M.A.
Bible, English

HARVEY, JOE
B.S., M.S.
Social Studies; Cross Country Coach

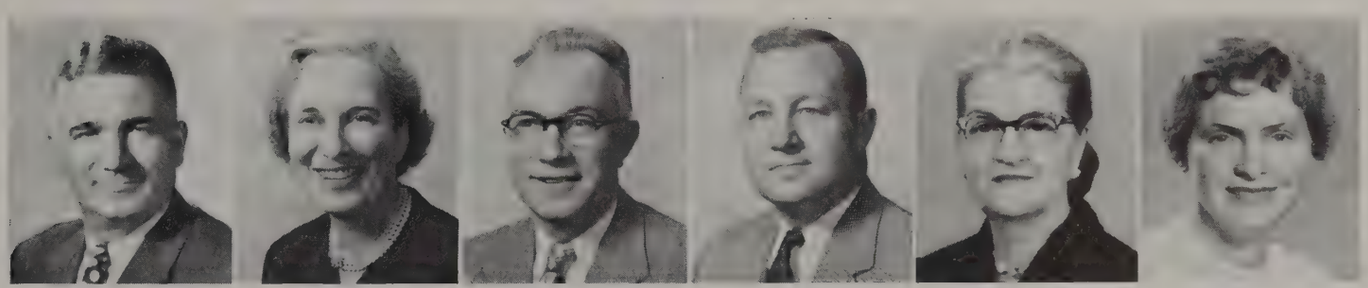
HARVEY, REX E.
B.S., M.S.
Mathematics; Chairman of Mathematics

HOOVER, ROLLIE
B.S., M.S.
Driver's Education; Wrestling Coach

HOSTETLER, GERALD
B.S.
Mathematics; Baseball Coach, "B" Team Coach for Basketball

HUNGATE, EUGENE, Wm.
B.S.
Mathematics; Physics

JAMES HOWARD A.
B.F.A., M.S.
Art



JANZARUK, JOHN D.
B.S.
Driver's Education; Football Coach

JONES, S. FLORENCE
B.S., M.S.
Social Studies
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JORDAN, RILEY R.
A.B., M.A.
Social Studies; Chairman of Social Studies

KAUFFMAN, LEWIS M.
B.S., M.S.
Social Studies; Counseling

KELLY, DOROTHY
A.B., M.A.
Publications, English

KENDALL, MARY
B.S., M.S.
Physical Education



KERR, LESTER L.
B.S., M.A.
Mathematics

KIRKLAND HELEN E.
Ph. B., M.A.
Commerce; Counseling; Placement

KRABILL, ANNE
B.S.
Nurse

LUTEY, RICHARD
B.S., M.S.
Physics; Physical Science

LUTY, EDITH
A.B., M.S.
English, Librarian

MAHAN, ROBERT
B.S., M.S.
Biology; Chemistry; Chairman of Science

McCASLAND, PETER
B.S.
Biology, Chemistry

McHARGUE, GLENN W.
B.S., M.S.
Social Studies; Counseling

McKEEHAN, ALICE
B.S., M.S.
Home Arts; Counseling

MORGAN, JOHN
B.S., M.S.
Industrial Arts

MOREY, EILEEN
B.S., M.A.
English

NELLIST, W. E.
B.S.
English, Speech



ORGAN, E. T.
Chemistry
Industrial Arts

PRAY, RAE
B.S.
Home Arts

RAZMIC, JOHN P.
B.S., M.S.
Physical Education, Driver's Education

RIDENS, JACK L.
B.S.
Industrial Arts

ROBINSON, RICHARD E.
A.B., M.A.
Art; Counseling

ROHRER, STANLEY E.
B.S., M.A.
Physics, Mathematics

RUSSELL, ISABEL B.
B.A., M.S.
Developmental Reading, English

SANDS, W. E.
B.A., M.A.
Social Studies

SARKISIAN, MARGUERITE
Ed. B.
English

SAWYER, MARGUERITE
A.B., M.A.
Latin, English

SCHER, JOSEPH
B.A., M.S.
Commerce

SCHWARTZ, DONALD F.
B.S., M.S.
Industrial Arts



SILCOTT, GLENN
B.S., M.A.
Physical Education; Chairman of Health & Physical Education; Director of Athletics

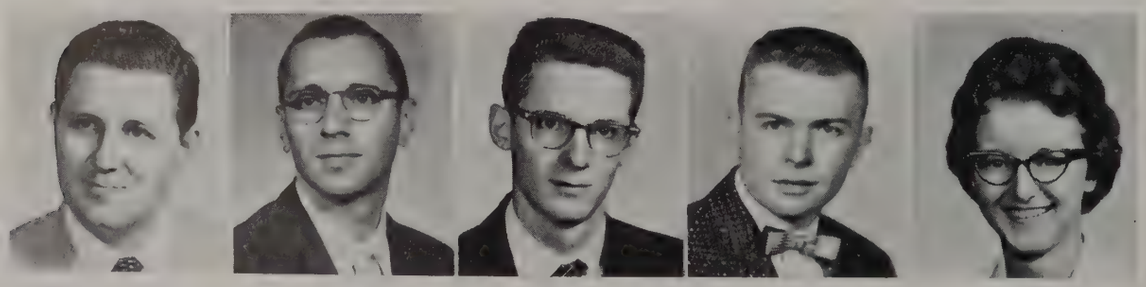
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B.A., M.S.
Social Studies

TROYER, FHANCIS C.
B.A., B.S.
Physical Science

ULERY, HERBERT C.
B.S.
Industrial Arts

WARFEL, G. E.
B.S.
Art

WENGER, GALEN L.
B.A., M.A.
Speech



WIESER, ROBERT F.
B.S., M.A. Mu. Ed.
Instrumental Music

WILLIS, DON
B.S., M.A.T.
Chemistry

WRIGHT, RONALD T.
B.S.
Mathematics

WYSONG, RICHARD M.
B.S., M.S.
Industrial Arts

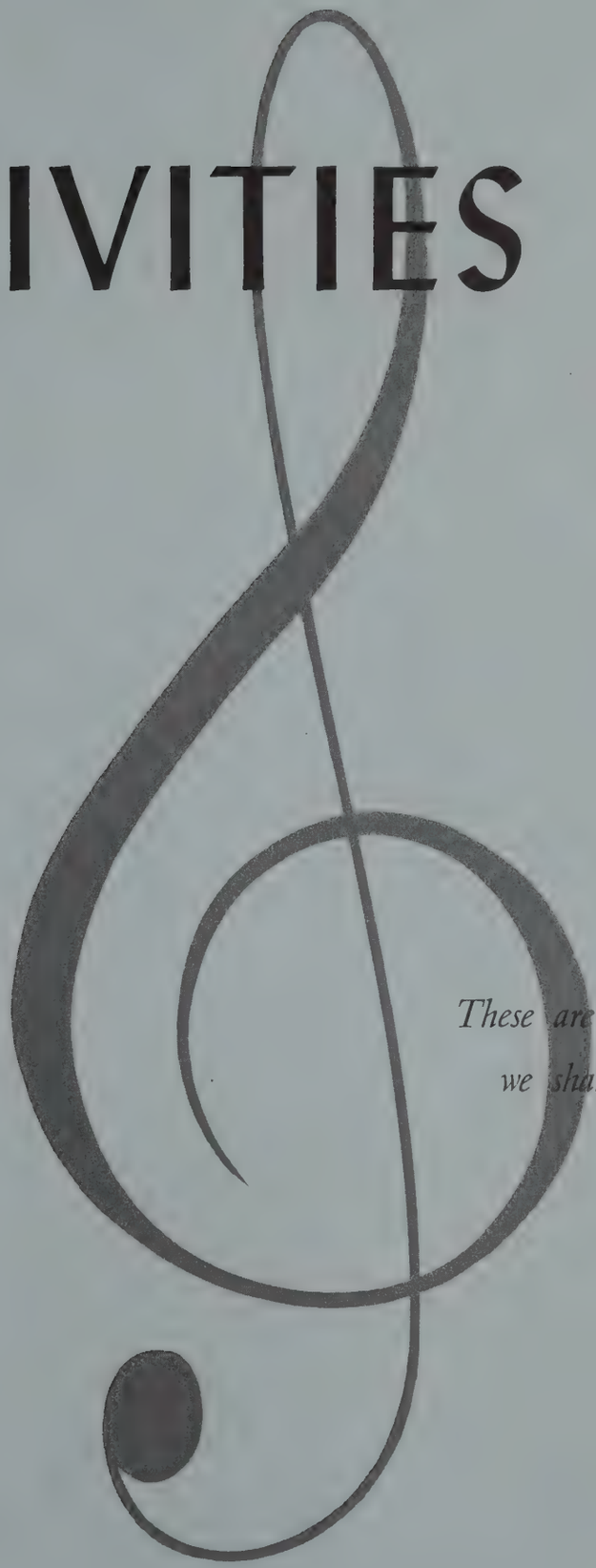
ZEHNER, MARILYN
B.S.
Commerce

*Following an operation, Miss Jones made a courageous attempt to return to her classes, but in the spring she grew worse, and left us. But she left with all of us at EHS the example of an excellent teacher, dedicated to her profession, honored by her colleagues, loved by her pupils.
Throughout the year Mrs. Nina Kent has taught Miss Jone's classes.

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B.S.
Commerce

LINT, SHIRLEY
B.A.
English

ACTIVITIES



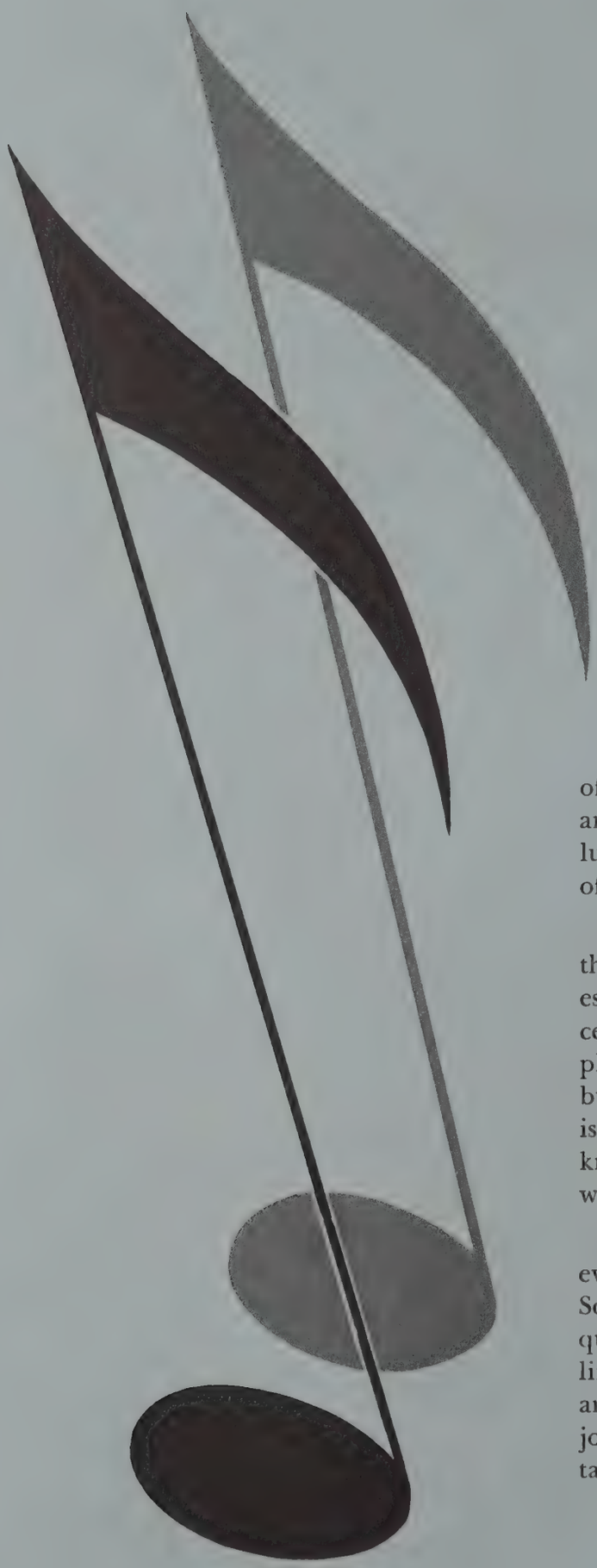
These are the things
we shan't forget;


To Elkhart High
Words by
Jerry Shank, '45
OH, ELKHART
IN OUR MEMORIES WILL REMAIN THE
FAMILAR HALLS: REMEMBERING WHAT
HAPPINESS IN FRIENDSHIPS MADE.
THE MANY LESSONS
FAITH, OUR HOPE, OUR LOYALT


music by
OF YOUTH. LEAVE



Man with gavel: Dave



"Extra-curricular" these activities are called, but often they teach us many things not learned in books, and often they are closely connected with the curriculum, so that they surely can be considered a vital part of the school.

Divided into two groups—clubs and organizations—the activities scheduled make every school day interesting and enjoyable. Programs, parties, dances, concerts, plays, and their entailed jobs of ticket selling, planning, decorating and rehearsing keep most of us busy but happy. One of the aspects of these activities is the fun of working together; another is getting to know many of our faculty members in an informal way, as we all work together.

Some groups are large, some are small; some meet every day; some meet only on Wednesday mornings. Some groups compete and bring fame to EHS; some quietly do little thoughtful things that get no headlines; some produce tangible results; some just meet and have fun. But whatever the activity, much of the joy, and many of our happiest memories come from taking part in activities.



Front Row—Mr. Updike, D. Erne, J. Peckham, H. Alm, B. Silcott, S. Bell, J. Stealy, J. Coblentz. Row 2—I. Snyder, C. Callen, L. Chester, P. Schutt, J. Campagnoli, D. Poorbaugh, S. Eldridge, J. Andrews. Row 3—L. Echols, C. Bontrager, J. Cawley, I. Floor, J. Perin, L. Newman, V. Glick, J. McQueen. Row 4—J. Papa, M. Helm, A. Bucklin, B. Reno, G. Swift, J. Kiefer, C. Snyder, S. Warford. Row 5—T. Wegrich, G. McCorkle, R. Brown, C. Hooley, N. DeWees, C. Prasse, N. Geil, J. Smith. Row 6—D. Rauser, N. Wiesner, J. Wallace, M. Shomaker, B. Christian, M. Magnuson, L. Potter, C. Baker. Row 7—D. Duthie, D. Bremer, J. Gluck, L. Werner, D. Lucas, K. Freeman, S. Huffman, M. Pendill. Last Row—S. Radway, S. Walton, L. Kemkle, T. Byron, S. Patitucci, J. Chester, G. Pixley, W. Weiss.

Student Council

The Student Council was the student government of Elkhart High School, and served as a link between the student body and the faculty. The Student Council sponsors, Mr. Updike, Mr. Kauffmann, and Mr. Bell, helped the Council in its efforts to install within the E.H.S. students a spirit of self-government, self-reliance, self-control, leadership, and citizenship.

This year, the Student Council had afforded a number of new services to the students and teachers at E.H.S.: a new type of hall monitor system with one-way halls proved successful; for the first time, busses were available to students for the out-of-town athletic events. The Council offered homerooms a new type of plan for scheduling interesting and educational homeroom programs, given by E.H.S. students themselves.

By offering new services and maintaining responsibilities from past years, the E.H.S. Student Council has established a record of which it can well be proud.



Officers—B. Silcott, Vice-Pres.; J. Stealy, Sec.; D. Erne, Pres.; J. Coblentz, Treas.



Front Row—G. Hatfield, S. Warford, J. Sorg, S. Papa, A. Bucklen, P. Maurer, B. Cittadine. 2nd Row—Miss Gookin, M. Yoder, D. Rauser, S. Kneile, L. Yoder, N. Keech, C. Kemble. 3rd Row—C. Wright, L. Thorne, C. Haines, B. Woodhall, M. Masse, G. Swift, K. Freeman, M. Koehler. 4th Row—J. Marks, C. Snyder, H. Harper, M. Chester, V. Martin, C. Gustufson, B. Pritschet, C. Baker.

Girl's League



Sponsored by Miss Gookin, the Girl's League strove to promote unity, better understanding and fellowship among EHS girls. The officers, and the Advisory Council made up of ten girls from each class, usually met twice a month to take care of those matters which did not require the advice of the entire League.

The Girl's League had a very successful year with its installation of officers, College Tea, "pot luck" supper, a panel on teen-age marriages, the cracker barrel discussions, coke parties, the Kid Party, and a program given by a professional writer.

A new program organized by Girl's League this year was the Big-Little Sister system, whereby an upper classman helped an incoming sophomore to become adjusted to life at EHS.

Activities this spring included sending food and clothing to an orphanage, sponsoring a Vocational Tea, giving a Big-Little Sister Valentine party, taking a charm course, and sponsoring a Vesper Service.

Officers—R. Wear, Treas.; S. Warford, Vice-Pres.; J. Sorg, Pres.; S. Papa, Secretary.

Boy's League

To create a sense of unity among the boys of EHS, the Boys' League included every boy at EHS in its membership. Forming the real framework of the Boys' League was its Advisory Council. This group was comprised of five boys from each class and the Boys' League officers. Because of the League's large membership, the Advisory Council made preliminary decisions before bringing new business before the League.

The League's programs usually consisted of speakers presented to either the League or the entire student body. The assembly in January, featuring a talk by Supt. Rice, was sponsored by the League. In April, the League sponsored a College Coke party.

The League is sponsored by Mr. Rogers, dean of Boys at EHS.



Officers—S. Price, Pres.; B. Walton, Treas.; D. Cormican, Vice-Pres.; S. Walton, Secretary.



Front Row—J. Doyle, S. Betcher, D. Klingamen, S. Price, B. Walton, S. Walton, J. Stewert. Row 2—E. Eurand, D. Poorbaugh J. Kazmierzak, R. Ballard, S. Bock, S. Campagnoli, W. Bell, M. Yetnik, P. Spray.



Officers—D. Klingaman, Pres.; S. Kneile, Treas.; H. Alm, Vice-Pres.; G. Swift, Sec.

National Honor Society

The National Honor Society, sponsored by Miss Zehner and Mrs. Dirks, had 59 members.

The purpose of the club was to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to prompt worthy leadership, and to encourage the development of character in the pupils of EHS.

The Club conducted a tutoring program. A schedule was set up so that every hour of the day, students who wanted help in any subject could be tutored. Members indicated the subject areas in which they could help other students and gave many hours to this program.

Along with the tutoring program, the Club sponsored Brotherhood Week, and worked for better scholarship by encouraging students who had good grades and attendance by sending congratulatory cards.

On the first and third Tuesdays of every month the club met to discuss various activities and have programs, such as, discussions or book reviews, talks on leadership, and speeches on trips taken by members or adults outside the club.

Front Row—B. Milleo, D. Pletcher, F. Cummins, D. Erne, H. Alm, J. Doyle, B. Laudoc, D. Klingaman, B. Silcott. Row 2—J. Trindle, J. Sorg, L. Warner, P. Miller, A. Burkhardt, K. Krider, G. Smith, C. Raatz, L. Chester, N. Keech, S. Kneile. Row 3—G. Swift, R. Bailey, M. Schmalzried, F. Friedman, E. Sarber, T. VanPatten, L. Wineland, J. Grunwald, C. Stanger, E. Chryspn, J. McQueen. Row 4—P. Oyer, D. Ong, M. Kollat, K. Elliott, B. Branchick, P. Sellers, J. Bowdish, K. LeFevre, B. Bauge. Last Row—J. Stiver, L. Feddersen, D. Hurt, E. Linamegi, M. Yetnik, E. Ernest, D. Compton, B. Spade.





Front Row—D. Dvorkin, M. Pollock, B. Barkman, D. Erne, S. Pickel, J. Freed, B. Neece. Second Row—R. Sherwin, Mr. Wenger, J. Palmer, J. Andrews, L. Thorne, M. Yoder, C. Prasse, D. Pliskin, J. Doyle. Third Row—J. Perry, G. Smith, G. Weisner, S. Axom, N. DeWees, B. Cittadine, C. Baker, N. Tiedeman, J. McQueen, N. Bibbo, B. Bauge, S. Hostetler, S. Lovejoy. Last Row—B. Chester, B. Pritschet, M. Wise, M. Ferro, D. Harvey, M. Babcock, J. Fisher, L. Miller, S. Beeby, D. Young, A. Sutula, P. Eads

National Forensic League

Each first and third Wednesday the National Forensic League met in room 109 to stimulate greater interest in forensics and to help members develop better speech habits. This sixty-member organization had a successful year in participating in twelve speech contests and tying an all-time record with five winners at the Purdue Legislative Assembly.

The program of the National Forensic League featured demonstrations and explanations of speech events and speakers on fields related to speech. Through the year, N.F.L., sponsored by Mr. Wenger, aided by Mr. Nellist, Mr. Bratt and Mr. Smith, practice teachers, furnished M.C.'s for school assemblies and readers for the morning announcements.

In February, thirty N.F.L. members participated in the annual speech contest at Peru, where Mr. Queener, former faculty member is now teaching.



Officers—C. Prasse—Treasurer, D. Pliskin—Vice-President, J. Doyle—President, M. Yoder—Contest Manager, L. Thorne, J. Andrews, Sgt.-At-Arms

Spanish Club



Officers—J. Bowdish—Treasurer; V. Martin—V. President; N. DeWees—Secretary; M. Bibler—President; J. Perry—Social Chairman.

To become better acquainted with the customs and background of Spanish-speaking people – this was the purpose of Spanish Club, sponsored by Miss Briseno.

Spanish Club had many interesting and varied programs this year including listening to a speaker who had lived in South America, a speaker who had toured Mexico, and records which were in Spanish. Spanish Club members also enjoyed two parties in the school cafeteria during the evening.

This year the club again held a pen sale to raise money for its trip to Chicago in the spring. In Chicago the club had a Spanish, or Mexican meal, and visited places of special interest to Spanish students.

Many of the Spanish Club members belonged to the National Spanish Club, an organization of Spanish students similar to the National Honor Society.



Front Row—D. Boylen, J. Perry, N. DeWees, J. Bowdish, M. Bibler, J. Scott. Second Row—M. Main, K. Strom, J. Rutt, J. Grunwald, Miss Bishop. Third Row—L. Brown, J. Peiffer, C. Callen, N. Galasso, N. Schlabach, L. Potter. Fourth Row—J. Harris, J. Mikkelsen, C. Ott, S. Hummel, F. Moyer, L. Hite.



Officers—R. Grillo, Secretary; S. Betcher, Vice-Pres.; P. Wells, Pres.; S. Papa, Treas.

French Club

The French Club attempted to increase the interest of French students in the people, country, and culture of France.

During the second and fourth Wednesday Club periods, French Club members sang French Christmas carols and French songs, made plans for future events, played French bingo, conducted business meetings, and enjoyed other programs which aided in their understanding of France.

The French Club, with the help of its sponsor, Mrs. Grillo, planned and presented the annual French Soiree, based on a story of an American girl in France, which was a success in obtaining money for a scholarship to a student who will continue the study of French.

The final event of the French Club was a recognition banquet in the spring for its seventy members.



Front Row—B. Van Heldorf, S. Bettcher, P. Wells, R. Grillo, S. Papa, J. Fleming. Second Row—Mrs. Grillo, D. Maas, N. Ryger, S. Weir, K. Gildea, L. Miller, J. Compton. Third Row—S. Nobles, B. Stover, S. Harvill, T. Parmater, V. Kampars, R. Brown, C. McCormick. Last Row—E. Leedy, C. Koppy, D. Rizzo, S. Pickel, B. Barkman, M. Stuckey, R. Stuckey.



Front Row—D. Evans, J. Myers, R. Ringenberg. Back Row—D. Holdeman, D. Kauffman, L. Livings.

German Club

To stimulate a greater interest in the German Language and customs—this is the purpose of the German Club, now sponsored by Mr. Brinson, since the resignation of Mr. Carr.

During the meetings, the eighteen members of the club listened to German records and carried on business meetings. These records not only gave members a chance to hear fluent German being spoken but also improved their diction and pronunciation.

As a special project this year, the German Club sold address labels. Members used the money earned through this to help pay for their spring trip to Chicago.

The German Club's main social event of the year was their Christmas party. Members enjoyed going on a scavenger hunt and exchanging gifts.



Officers—L. Livings—Sec. and Treas.; J. Myers—President; D. Evans—V. President; M. Ringenberg—Social Chairman.

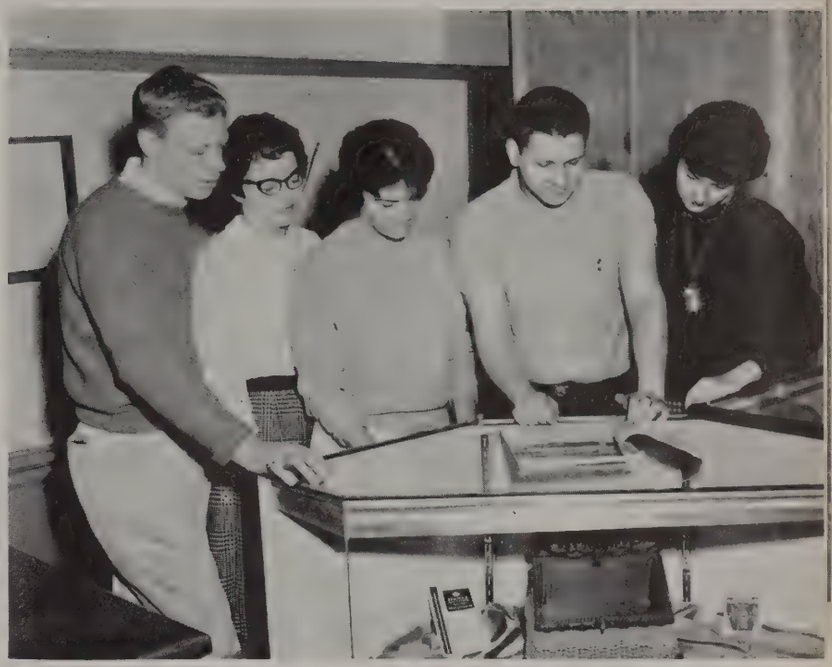
Distributive Education Club

The Distributive Education Club, consisting of thirty-five members, met on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Under the sponsorship of Mr. Addison the club met in room 23.

The club strived to develop leadership in the field of distribution and to learn practical application of Distributive Education.

This year the club helped to gather, repair, and distribute toys to underprivileged children at Christmas.

The club attended the National Convention at Chicago, and the State Convention at Indiana University. Election of State officers was held at the Indiana University Medical Center in September. The EHS club was honored by having two students, Ron Null and John Gilliam, elected to State offices. Members also had the honor of winning Christmas window display prize.



Officers—J. Gilliam, Vice-Pres.; S. Fisher, Treas. N. White, Soc. Chair.; R. Null, President; F. Baylor, Sec.



Front Row—J. Willis, S. Fisher, F. Baylor, J. Gilliam, R. Null, N. White, S. Borish. Middle Row—S. Hunsberger, B. Angelo, J. McLoughten, H. Shear, J. Shroth, E. Brutrim, J. Pliskin. Back Row—E. Oramen, T. Wiley, S. Miller, B. Davis, J. Alexander, D. Wagner, N. Del Regno, P. Moore, S. Bidleman.



Row 1—D. Fox, Mr. Baldridge, C. Stump, J. Alfred, A. Trindle, E. Hobson, D. Haas, S. Krauss. Row 2—D. Beskett, T. Scoville, J. Butterbaugh, S. Gilbert.

Model Airplane Club



Officers—J. Butterbaugh, Sec.; D. Trindle, President; D. Haas, Treas.; S. Krauss, Vice-Pres.

The Model Airplane Club, "Balsabusters," was started in EHS this year to promote the building and flying of model airplanes.

During the past year, numerous glider and controlling meets were held at either Riverview School or McNaughton Park. The boys obtain points at these meets through the construction of their planes and the success with which their planes fly. These points are used to determine the winner of an award as the year ends.

Just before the Christmas holidays, the club put on a large display containing various types of models that the members had built. The display also contained model airplane engines, one of which was disassembled and the main parts of the engine were identified.

The airplane club recently received a scale model of a Piper Cub airplane in order to study controls and control surfaces of airplanes.

Through movies, demonstrations, meets, and building sessions, the members acquired a greater knowledge of model airplane construction and flying.

Paint 'N' Palette Club

On each second and fourth Wednesday Paint 'n' Palette Club met in room 11, with Mr. James as sponsor, to stimulate interest and appreciation of art. Various programs of the year included several talks by local artists, art projects, and learning sessions featuring facts of modern art and human anatomy. Speakers gave interesting insights to the field of art in advertising or commercial art. Other people of the community told how they use their art for their own pleasure or in studios in their own homes. Several who were interested mainly in sculpture shared techniques of sculpturing with us.

During learning sessions, members were instructed in proper techniques in brush strokes, tone, color, and texture. Members then had a chance to apply what they had learned through related projects. Participants also enjoyed visiting various art exhibits. Art departments of colleges were of special interest and gave members a better idea of the opportunities to further their study of art.

The high point of the club's activities was the spring field trip to Chicago. Members went by bus to visit the Art Institute, Art Museum, and Chinatown.



Officers—V. Dickerhoff, Vice-Pres.; P. Eads, Pres.; G. McCorkle, Sec.-Treas.

Seated—S. Krauser, V. Dickerhoff, E. Sarantos. Standing—P. Eads, J. Bliss, G. McCorkle, S. Sherman, R. Gilbert, S. Blodgetts.





Officers—W. Graham, Sec.; R. Huffman, Treas.; Ed Aurand, Pres.; J. Martin, Vice-Pres.

The Machinist Club

The Machinist Club, under the guidance of Mr. Wysong, strives to develop a better understanding and knowledge of the machinist trade.

Every Wednesday the twenty members of the club met in the machine shop. In the machine shop they studied various machines used in industry, noting new trends and new inventions. They also planned their club projects at this time.

Often speakers from the factories in and around Elkhart talked to the club concerning the activities and duties of a machinist. These talks were helpful to the club members in planning their jobs. The speakers discussed wages, pension plans and advantages or disadvantages of each type of job.

As a Christmas project, the club repaired toys and gave them to the needy children of Elkhart. This spring the members went on a field trip, visiting a local factory.



Front Row—D. Barfel, K. Brubaker, W. Graham, J. Martin, E. Aurand, R. Huffman. Row 2—Mr. Wysong, H. Elliot, D. Shank, L. Luefling, T. Ott. Row 3—T. Stankie, M. Irving, S. Trotter.



Row 1—D. Renn, B. Lambdin, J. Heath, R. Null, K. Mahony, H. Yager. Row 2—J. Jellison, J. Flickinger, C. Osborne, D. Hurt, J. Robinson, J. Dowit, B. Climer.

Amateur Radio Club

The purpose of the Amateur Radio Club was to initiate and develop interest in the theories and applications of Amateur Radio. The twenty-five club members met twice a month on Tuesdays in room 35. This year for the first time a girl joined the ranks of the amateur operators. Occasional speakers from industrial firms helped the members to understand principles of radio theory.

The club was guided by its sponsor, Mr. Rohrer, in its accomplishments, which included setting up a radio-teletype unit, building a kilowatt transmitter, and building a portable six meter transmitter. The club now has its own station, K91xs, and many of the members have their amateur licenses. These "hams" enjoy talking with operators all over the country. During emergencies they could be of great help in relaying personal messages.

In June the club participated in the National "Field Day" contest.



Officers—B. Lambdin, vice-pres.; C. Osborne, Treas.; D. Null, Pres.; D. Renn, Sec.



Front Row—N. Piper, J. Perry, V. Swift, J. Wells, J. McQueen, A. Bucklen, P. Wisemen, N. Bibbo, S. Warford, D. Kidder. Row 2—N. Stachel, L. Miller, M. McClure, D. Estes, M. Ferro, W. Roberts, C. Kantz, G. Monschein, M. Anderson, D. Forry. Row 3—N. Wallace, M. Ott, H. Melser, D. McCubbin, L. Luefling, M. Flanders, J. Grundwald, P. Tatro, C. Koppy. Row 4—R. Rizzo, B. Lilly, J. Nobles, J. Strauss, D. Ferling, B. Bauge, B. Penrod, B. Pritschet, D. Pownell, D. Rizzo.

Pep Club

Posters, posters, posters! The enthusiastic Pep Club did a wonderful job of promoting school spirit and support for our teams during all seasons of the year, for all Blazer teams. Beginning with the football season, they made every effort to get students to attend both games and pep sessions.

Sponsored by Mr. Wright and including about thirty members, the club met every other Monday in room 303. In addition to decorating the halls before games, the Pep Club helped to make our pep sessions some of the most successful in years. The club worked to promote enthusiasm, school spirit, and good sportsmanship.

Members of the Pep Club, together with the Varsity Club members, made talks in every homeroom during the month of February. In these talks they discussed attendance at games and pep sessions, and sportsmanship on the part of spectators.



J. Wells, Pres.; J. Mills, Sec.; G. Swift, Treas.; J. McQueen, V. Pres.; J. Perry.



Front Row—S. Wollam, P. Harwick, V. Pritschet, L. Wisemen, S. Thompson, J. Conn, M. Dinehart, P. Haas. Row 2—J. Piefer, J. Grubb, B. Henley, P. Freed, M. Stack, S. Harris, A. Burkhardt. Row 3—D. Litchenberger, C. Wright, D. Maas, C. McCormick, M. Magnason, B. Tschabold, G. Myers. Row 4—M. Crammer, M. Melkus, V. Elmore, K. Krider, B. Chester, L. Wineland. Row 5—B. Brown, B. Langdoc, J. Walters, B. Spade, C. Dreves, C. Renaldi, D. Pedler.

Music Appreciation Club

Under the sponsorship of Mr. Davies, the Music Appreciation Club met in the band room every first and third Wednesday. The ninety members discussed and reviewed current concerts and musical programs given in this area. Coming musical programs were explained and time and ticket information was given. Members were encouraged to attend these programs and to tell others about them.

In addition, at each meeting members listened to selections from musical recordings of both serious and jazz literature. Although the recordings were usually instrumental, some choral works were played. Recordings included Bach organ works, Barber's "Medea", folk songs sung by the Robert Shaw Chorale, "Billy The Kid", a modern ballet by Aaron Copeland, "The Sorcerer's Apprentice", and jazz by Dave Brubeck, Dizzy Gillespie, and Count Basie.



Officers—L. Wisemen, Pres.; V. Pritschet, Vice-Pres.; S. Thompson, Sec.-Treas.



F.N.L. Officers—A. Burkhardt, Pres.; J. Conant, Sec.; M. Fair, Treas.; M. Sanders, V. Pres.

F. N. L. Club

The twenty-five members of the Florence Nightingale Lamp Club used their meetings to learn about health careers. The programs included films of diseases and careers, and speakers, such as a dental nurse and a psychiatrist, from various health careers.

The club was sponsored by Miss Anne Kraybill, the school nurse, who helped the club with projects including making Christmas tray favors for nursing home patients and enjoying a field trip to Ball Memorial Hospital in Muncie.

In March the F. N. L. Club sponsored a film about rehabilitation entitled "Three To Go."

F.N.L. members served the school by working in the dispensary an hour each day. Although they cannot do regular nursing, they can make a student who is ill comfortable by having him lie down, and administering first aid.



Front Row—A. Burkhardt, M. Sanders, J. Conant, M. Fair. Back Row—Miss Krabill, P. Trout, G. Myers, P. Lutts, S. Overholt.



Front Row—N. Bibbo, J. Conn, C. Wright, L. Chester, R. Kennell, E. Chrispyn, S. Koehler. Row Two—S. Smith, R. Rizzo, B. Chester, J. Perry, L. Wineland, S. Osterloo, G. Smith, S. Warford.

F. T. A. Club

The Future Teachers of America Club, sponsored by Miss Jones, strove to teach its thirty members more about teaching as a profession.

This year the club had several interesting programs including a film, *Skippy and the Three R's,* a talk on speech and hearing therapy by Linda Wineland, and a panel of new teachers who discussed teaching. During Miss Jones's illness, Mrs. Kent worked with F. T. A. members, and Miss Anne McAllister helped them find speakers and plan programs.

To honor the teachers, the club had a teacher's tea in the fall. On Valentine's Day the club distributed apples to EHS teachers.

In February the F. T. A. members had a tea at which each cadet had as his guest the grade school teacher with whom he was going to be working.



Officers—R. Kennell, Vice Pres.; L. Chester, Pres.; C. Wright, Sec.-Treas.



Front Row—J. Deniman, M. Koehler, B. Bundy, I. Floor, M. Ehert, K. Troyer. Second Row—L. Weaver, M. Podawiltz, A. Goeller, G. Lynch, S. Mabus, C. Moon, L. Snyder. Back Row—J. Shutta, B. Davis, M. Walter, J. Kantz, S. Baskerville, C. Russell.

Triple L Club

Triple L, a service club for the school and community, met twice a month in room 222 with Mrs. Burkhardt as the sponsor.

As a service club, the Triple L girls often ushered at school affairs. On "College Night", together with Honor Society members, the girls helped college representatives and parents find rooms. On "Back To School Night" and at many school affairs, they also acted as ushers. The twenty-nine members of Triple L sold peanuts on the Dime Lines, took gifts to nursing homes at Christmas, sold carnations for the basketball tourneys, and had a project for Valentine's Day.

Career programs were emphasized at the meetings this year. These programs helped the girls decide on their future vocations.

In the spring the club members had a tea honoring their mothers.



Triple L Officers—Back Row—M. Ehert, Secr.; M. Koehler; B. Bundy. Front Row—N. Giel, V. Pres.; I. Floor, Pres.; J. Douglas, Treas.



Front Row—D. Swanger, P. Greathouse, D. Roher, M. Martin, R. Trotter, R. Ware, J. Randolph. Row 2—L. Welch, B. Barton, K. Grout, D. Bryant, Miss Pray, V. Havrilendo, J. Reno, M. Bosca, D. Warren.

F. H. A. Club

The Future Homemakers of America Club had speakers, work projects, and a few evening programs to which parents were invited in order to promote a better understanding of homemaking and family living. The Wednesday morning meetings were planned around the F.H.A. objectives: family understanding, citizenship, self-development, and the place for home economics in the education of every girl.

F.H.A. helped homerooms with their Christmas baskets by repairing toys, assisted at the College Night dinner, and sold Elkhart tournament "beanies." Several members attended the District spring meeting and the State meeting of F.H.A. clubs. At each faculty meeting, a committee of F.H.A. girls decorated the tea table, and served coffee and cookies.

The 24 members of F.H.A. were sponsored by Miss Pray and Miss Amsbaugh.



Officers—R. Trotter, Treas.; E. Stark, Sec.; M. Martin, V. Pres.; P. Greathouse, Sloat, M.; D. Rohrer, Pres.

Hi-Y Club

The 1960-61 school year has been one of the best for the Elkhart Hi-Y Club. Last Fall, when new members were invited to join EHS clubs, seventy-two boys reported to the Hi-Y club room. This large number of boys interested in Hi-Y activities resulted in a division of the membership into three clubs.

These clubs were identified by the letters in the Greek alphabet, Alpha, Beta, and Delta. The returning Hi-Y members from last year, selected "Alpha" as their club name. Officers were elected for each club, and sponsors were obtained from the high school faculty. Mr. Crosier sponsors Alpha; Mr. Willis, Delta, and Mr. Bell, Beta. Bill Howell, Youth Director at the YMCA, is the representative from the YMCA.

Members ushered at concerts, ballgames, and served as attendants for check rooms at the gym. They also helped with community chest drives and the "Y" Carnival.

In order to remain a member, a boy must live up to the purpose of the club: to create, maintain, and extend through the home, school, and cummunity, high standards of Christian Character.



Officers—A. Middleton—Beta President; S. Radway—Delta President; D. Poorbaugh—Alpha President.



Front Row—J. Bell, R. Kery, D. Holmes, B. Lincoln, A. Fisher, B. Nolan, K. Ulis. Second Row—D. Willis, S. Radway, S. Haklen, J. Reamer, B. Growcock, D. Wagoner, D. Beatty. Third Row—B. Crosier, S. Artley, S. Strauss, D. Poorbaugh, J. Lusher, S. Teal, L. Wiseman, D. Gasplin, E. Hany, R. Fletcher, C. Arbogast. Fourth Row—D. Smith, R. Mathis, R. Johnson, R. Hoffman, J. Miller, R. Yohn, J. Hoover, D. Miller, M. Ringenburg, R. Wolschlager, J. Schamersdorf, D. Mount.



Officers—S. Stewart, Treas.; V. Glick, Pres.; L. Yoder, Vice-Pres.; V. Pittman, Secretary.

Y-Teens Club

The Y-Teens met each Tuesday evening at the Y.W.C.A. in an effort to build a fellowship of women and girls to share common ideals of personal and social living as Christians. To accomplish this purpose, the Y-Teens enjoyed programs of guest speakers, talent shows, and modeling demonstrations.

Much of the work of the Y-Teens, under the supervision of its sponsor, Mrs. Wing, was carried on outside the regular meetings. Club members served at community dinners, babysat for "Y" advisors at the Y, gift wrapped at Christmas, sold candy, and rang bells for the Salvation Army at Christmas.

In May Y-Teens sent two girls to the National Y. W. C. A. Convention in Denver and played active parts in Y-Teen Summer, Mid-Winter Conferences.

The Sweetheart Swing, an annual social event, was a complete success in February.



Front Row—B. Cittadine, M. Dandino, N. Pipher, V. Glick, V. Pittman, S. Stewert, N. Bibbo, M. Main, M. Lanche, S. Kiser, P. Wiseman. Row 2—J. Klingaman, A. Fair, B. Christeon, N. Yoder, N. Stackel, M. Masse, S. Warford, M. Anderson, L. Weaver, J. Marks, E. Chrispyn. Row 3—H. Harper, S. Harvill, S. Cooper, J. Wilson, C. Callen, S. Nobles, B. Henly, A. Bucklin, B. Anderson, C. Fletcher, C. Koppy. Row 4—S. Beebe, B. Buckley, B. Penrod, S. Wilcox, D. Estes, M. Flanders, J. Sorg, G. Swift, N. Wallace, A. Vance, B. Woodhall, S. Papa. Row 5—S. Huggins, T. Wiley, L. Minniger, C. Wilson, M. McClure, B. Bough, M. Chester, R. Rizzo, M. Ott, J. McQueen, B. Davis, S. Harris, M. Helms, D. Rizzo, S. Brodhead.



Officers—A. Sutula—President; J. Hubbard—V. President; M. Yoder—Secretary; G. Wiesner—Treasurer; N. Tiedmann—V. President of Jr. Thespians.

Thespians

The National Thespian Society, sponsored by Mrs. Dillen, met every second and fourth Wednesday morning in room 21. The club strives to teach appreciation of the theater through participation in dramatic activities.

During the meetings, Thespians and Junior Thespians participated in one-act plays and read both dramatic and humorous readings. Many of the members have presented programs in the homerooms. They have done humorous and dramatic readings. Others have done excerpts from plays and read poetry.

This year Thespians produced a Christmas play, gave homeroom programs, and participated in assemblies for College Night and for the Easter program.



Front Row—N. Tiedemann, G. Wiesner, M. Yoder, J. Hubbard, A. Sutula, M. Webster. Second Row—R. Sherwin, M. Wise, H. Harper, G. Kidding, J. Andrews, B. Barkman, S. Fischer, R. Sones, M. Long. Third Row—C. Baker, M. Babcock, C. Prasse, S. Growcock, L. Hartman, B. Pritschet, J. Fisher, J. Palmer.



Script committee: seated—Marcella Sanders, Mike Whittaker, Jane Leasor, Nancy DeWees, Barry Neece, Barb Jones. Standing: Carol Malitzke, Nancy Tiedeman, Carol Baker, Mike Tousignant, John Andrews



Girls' chorus line: Betty Cittadine, Heidi Huston, Barb Jones, Pam Edwards, Sara Wells, Bev Anderson, Mary Kay Lansche

Junior Follies

The class of 1962 presented their rendition of the traditional Junior Follies, November 10, 1960. "Tension" was the theme, centered around a script written by twelve juniors. Each person's ideas were presented as acts. Featured among the variety of acts were girl's chorus lines, vaudeville routines, and Mr. Custer.

Kay Freeman was director, with a committee of four assisting in the production. Stuart Pickel was administrative assistant with several committees working under him.

Tickets: Bob Rosentreter, Chairman: Linda Thorne, Doug Greener, Anne Miller, Tom Fetter, Barb Jones, and Betty Cittadine.

Publicity: Bill Fieldbinder, Chairman; Robbie Sones, Margaret Crammer, Carol Baker, and Karl Adolon.

Program: Anna Sutula, chairman; Sandy Mabus, and Christine Prasse.

Sue Huggins and Lorraine Loney in "Side by Side"



Senior Class Play

The class of '61 chose as their play George Bernard Shaw's "Devil's Disciple." The play gave us a glimpse of Westerbridge, New Hampshire in 1777 as England was losing the war because of "jobbery, snobbery, incompetence, and Red Tape."

D. J. Bussard directed the play, assisted by Barbara Penrod. The cast included *John Doyle* as Richard Dudgeon; *Gayle Wiesner,* Mrs. Annie Dudgeon; *William Spade,* Anthony Anderson; *Dale Tarnowieski,* Christy Dudgeon; *Rosemary Sherwin,* Essie; *John Perry,* General Burgyone; *John Frank,* Major Swindon; a sergeant, *Bruce Brown;* the Dudgeon relatives were *David Harvey, Judy McQueen, Connie Ott, John Perry.* The British soldiers were *Dennis Stout, Theodore Huff, Donald Kidder, Alan Nadon, Jack Pressler, Lenard Leufling,* and *Ronald Wolschlager.* The townspeople were *Anne Burkhardt, Sandra Osterloo, Pam Miller,* and *Susan Warford.*



The trial: John Doyle, Theodore Huff, John Frank, John Perry

The cast: Rosemary Sherwin, John Perry, Bill Spade, Don Wood, John Doyle, Dale Tarnowieski, Gayle Wiesner, Judy McQueen, Dave Harvey, Connie Ott





Christine Prasse, John Andrews, Frank Parmater



Mel Webster, Mary Frances Yoder, Anna Sutula, John Andrews

Junior play: *Lo and Behold*

This year the junior class presented a three act comedy, *Lo and Behold,* on April 15. This play by John Patrick concerns Milo Alcott, a Nobel Prize winner, who dies of a heart ailment and leaves his estate in three parts, one-third to keep his house as a sanctuary for his spirit, one-third to the Harvard Law School, one-third to his young doctor. However, he finds his house inhabited by three other ghosts.

The cast included John Andrews as *Milo Alcott,* Frank Parmater as *Mr. Wingate,* Christine Prasse, as *Daisy Durale,* Jack Hubbard as *Dr. Robert Dorsey,* Mary F. Yoder as *Minnetonka Smallflower.* Linda Thorne was the student director and the committees were headed by these people: Bob Rosentretor, business manager; Rich Ballard, general chairman; Larry Warren, Doug Greiner, ticket selling; Bill Fieldbinder, ticket reserving; Barry Neece, publicity; John Miller, ushers; Willie Bell, clean-up; Nancy Ryger, statistics. These committees were made up of class members, aided by the sponsors and Mr. Bussard.

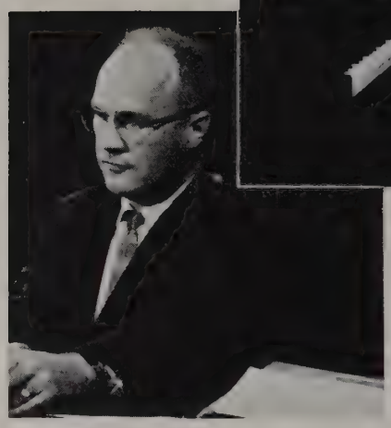
Junior play cast: seated—Mel Webster, Anna Sutula, Christine Prasse, Mary Frances Yoder, Linda Thorne, Larry Harrison, John Andrews; standing—Frank Parmater, Phil Olin, Jack Hubbard, Bill Deputy, Lena Shepherd, Stan Mansfield



The EHS Choirs



Mrs. Kambs, accompanist



Mr. Gowdy, director of vocal music

The lights in the auditorium faded and voices hushed as the sound of "O Come, All Ye Faithful" floated in. As the robed choir members paced in, the carol strengthened, the bobbing of the flashlight "candles" keeping time. The 1961 Christmas Concert had begun.

Instead of the usual two activities of the combined EHS choirs, that is, the Christmas and Spring Concerts, a third was added to that list for the 1960-61 season. This was 1961 Quad High School Choral Festival with the other participants being Michigan City, LaPorte, and Goshen. This festival, held on March 25 in the EHS Auditorium, was followed by a dance for the members of the participating groups. One other activity that the combined choirs had was caroling at various local establishments during the Christmas season.

Many other activities centered on the A Capella choir alone, or sometimes joined with the second hour choir. The A Cappella was invited to sing for the students and faculty of North Central College, Naperville, Illinois, on April 28, 1961. Along with the Concert band, they journeyed to Indianapolis to perform for the Indiana Music Educators' Association.

The final performance of The A Cappella choir and all other seniors in the choirs was at the 1961 Baccalaureate exercises, held on June 4.



The choirs' annual "living" Christmas tree



The first, second, and third hour choirs of EHS have one goal in mind: get as many of their members prepared to sing well enough to be promoted to the fourth hour choir, the EHS A Cappella Choir.

A Cappella Choir

Sopranos—Willa Anderson, Connie Bachman, Shirley Burson, Kathy Butte, Connie Crosby, Darla Divietro, Mary Ann Hoffman, Ruth Ann Kennell, Mary Kollat, Sandy Linton, Ann Miller, Betty Niece, JoAnn Palmer, Carolee Renn, Pat Sellers, Jean Simpson, Sandy Smith, Nancy Stachel, Judy Stealy, Sue Stewart, Anna Sutula, Linda Thorne, Susan Waggoner, Gayle Wiesner, Cheryl Wright, Mary Yoder, Diane Young.

Altos—Ruth Ann Allman, Anne Burkhardt, Ellen Chrispyn, Judy Conn, Nancy DeWees, Sarah Harlan, Beverly Jenks, Judy Luke, Gerry Lusk, Janet Marks, Pamela Miller, Pat Miller, Vicki Pittman, Gloria Pritschet, Jan Rutt, Barbara Sones, Karen Strom, Ruth Stuckey, Janice Toone, Phyllis Trout, Linda Warner, Pat Witman.

Tenors—John Andrews, Larry Bleiler, Dan Brooks, Steve Cripe, John Doyle, Wilson Elliott, Eldon Hany, Jim Hoover, Don Kidder, Karl Lauby, Dennis Leatherman, Mark Lockwood, Stan Mansfield, Jim Meyers, Ronald Miller, Floyd Roose, Merrill Smith.

Basses—John Cleveland, Jerry Crow, Tom Deckard, Ray Golightly, Roger Gowdy, Dave Harvey, Jim Kincaid, Dennis Mann, Charlie Miles, Tony Parmater, David Roberts, Robert Scott, Bill Spade, Richard Stedry, Helmut Goerlach, Mel Webster.

Loading a truck for an out-of-town music concert





SECOND HOUR CHOIR

Sopranos—Janice Bender, Anne Bucklen, Judy Dodge, Sue Ann Fee, Sue Haas, Merry Lou Harvey, Heidi Houston, Janet Klingaman, Sheila Lovejoy, Sarah Martin, Jerri Mayhousen, Jean Millspaugh, Mary Pendill, Vicky Schrock, Suzanne Wagoner

Alto—Rita Bolenbaugh, Gwyn Chester, Judy Davis, Linda Forsythe, Nancy Geil, Marsha Mann, Roberta Reno, Barb Rhodes, Sally Rush, Martha Shomaker, Karen Stark, Martha Ellen Stuckey, Jean Wallace, Carolyn Wright, Mary Ann Yoder, Barb Zimmerman

Tenors—Bob Butler, Steve Gilbert, Dennis Hull, Dick Kaser, David Kidder, Bob Mahar, Norman Melser, Allen Middleton, Kenny Parker, Larry Spicer, Larry Todt, Kenneth Ulis, Bernd Ecker

Basses—Jim Bontrager, Donald Bremer, Wayne Brewer, Steve Campagnoli, Tom Clarkson, Dick Haas, Robert Kery, Dave Kratzer, Daniel Roll, Thom Scoville, Dean Trindle, Dick Trowbridge, Larry Wine

OUR RESIDENT COMPOSER:

Dr. Wm. Thomson

No story of EHS music would be complete without telling about our good fortune in having Dr. Wm. Thomson, our second resident composer, from the Ford Foundation. Elkhart is one of the 12 cities in which these talented music men are working with the schools, writing music especially suitable to young musicians.

Dr. Thomson, a Texan, is on leave from Sul Ross State College; he was the winner of the National Young Composers Contest in both 1949 and 1941. The music faculty has enjoyed working with him and knowing Mrs. Thomson and their family, and the Choirs and instrumental musicians have enjoyed knowing him informally.

All of these musicians joined in the presentation of "Hear the Wind" at the fall concert; this composition was a most impressive modern arrangement for voices and instruments. This spring the orchestra presented his "Variations."



THIRD HOUR CHOIR

Sopranos—Pat Albert, Mary Ann Anderson, Rebecca Baker, Judy Boles, Barbara Brick, Barbara Bundy, Jeanette Darling, Diane Forry, Pam Green, Connie Kantz, Carol Malitzke, Sue Markey, Donna Pownall, Sue Rees, Janet Reid, Shonnie Rink, Karen Rose, Gloria Sawyer, Rose Mary Sherwin, Roseanne Simone, Pam Strom, Judy Sullivan, Betsy Van Heldorf

Altos—Donna Books, Pat Earl, Kathe Gildea, Carol Harvey, Val Havrilenko, Bridgett McDermott, Linda Newman, Dee Pliskin, Jeanne Ramsey, Sally Shellanbarger, Toni Van Patten

FIRST HOUR CHOIR

Sopranos—Ruth Ann Alexander, Janet Buckwalter, Barbara Chester, Jackie Decker, Jane Harris, Pam Huster, Nancy Jones, Sheila Kreider, Karen Leo, Joyce Luke, Claudia Moon, Carol Nickerson, Marjo Podawiltz, Diana Rauser, Janice Riegel, Judy Ritchie, Anna Runkle, Pam Schutt, Sue Scott, Helen Joy Simms, Linda Snyder, Betty Stover, Gene Trindle, Jane Tucker, Roberta Wenger, Nancy Wiesner

Altos—Darlene Anglemeyer, Susan Baker, Jean Bliss, Sheryl Chamberlain, Jinx Compton, Charlotte Flemming, Miriam Forbes, Barbara Gibson, Sharon Gran, Janet Hartman, Sally Irvin, Kathy Pfister, Janet Phebus, Marcia Pixley, Pam Rybarczyk, Linda Shreiner, Linda Silver, Billie Vance, Beth Young





A hard-working section of the Orchestra

EHS Symphony Orchestra

A high school orchestra of 120 pieces, is, to say the least, unique. Not only size, but also excellent musicianship sets the EHS Symphonic Orchestra apart from the majority of other high school orchestras. Because of their fine reputation throughout the country, the orchestra was invited to perform for the Music Educators' National Conference, in Columbus, Ohio on April 7 and 8.

They started their journey to Columbus on the afternoon of April 7. There they stayed at the Neil House Hotel and, on Saturday morning, the group moved into the Hotel's Ballroom, where they played not only the standard symphony orchestra repertoire, but also two extra numbers, Dr. Thomson's "Variation for Orchestra," and Dr. Washburn's "Synthesis for Orchestra." (These men are our Ford "Composers in residence.")

Not only did they play three concerts of music ranging from Beethoven symphonies to Rogers and Hammerstein musicals, but also accompanied the choirs in both their Christmas and Spring Concerts. A special feature on the Spring Concert was an arrangement of "Oklahoma" for the orchestra and the combined choirs by Dr. Thomson.

The EHS Symphony Orchestra in concert readiness



EHS Symphony Orchestra

First Violins—Bill Spade, Andy Baltpurvins, Barbara Branchick, Roberta Ocker, Mary Yoder, Carol Baker, Mary Kollat, Anna Sutula, Norris Dryer, Gloria Swihart, Shirley Kneile, Gayle Wiesner, Gloria Smith, Joan Trindle, Susan Waggoner, Kay Krider, Nedra Pipher, Kristin Troyer, Douglas Smith, Betty Niece

Second Violins—Anne Sudermann, Serge Krauss, Barb Tschabold, Carol Doke, Sarah Nobles, Cherryl Umbarger, Nancy Tiedemann, Martha Babcock, Jill Keating, Lynn Cherry, Marilyn Yoder, Patricia Hahn, Sharon Noffsinger, Jean Hayden, Debby Erne, Mary Croop, Patricia Baylor, Susan Harris, Mary Becrer, Susan Freed, Pamela Perry, Donna Feldmann, Marcella Sanders, Judy Gibson

Viola—Linda Potter, Susan Fischer, Diane Maas, Patty Moore, Carol Perry, Can Beckett, Barbara Buckley, Larry Harrison, Eva Aunins

Cello—David Sult, Lynne Brewer, Sanford Stalter, Mary Ann Brower, Martha Koehler, Diane Holston, Ann Kintner, Diane Estes, Jeanne Joseph, Oren Stembel

Bass Viol—Lizette Tulley, Jane Douglas, Bob Elsasser, Dee Plisken, Lynda Wolph, Jacqueline Peiffer, Janet Tuthill, Benny Whetstone



Orchestra officers: Bob Elsasser, boys' social chairman, Mary Frances Yoder, secretary-treasurer; Bill Spade, president; Mary Kollat, vice-president; Carol Baker, girls' social chairman.





The EHS Concert Band

EHS Concert Band

A long whistle, the familiar roll of the snare drums, and the EHS Marching Band swung out to the middle of the field to start the last show of the 1960 football season. This was the Seniors' last performance. This year's theme was "Election Eve," but other shows had included one on Rogers and Hammerstein melodies. Two weeks later, the marchers had been converted into the EHS Concert Band and were performing Leonard Bernstein's "Overture to Candide" and "Hear the Wind" by Elkhart's (and the Ford Foundation's) Dr. Thomson. The next day November 19, 1961 they journeyed to Indianapolis, along with the A Cappella Choir, to give a concert for a meeting of the Indiana Music Educators' Association.

The band members (with some help from the orchestra) won some 700 medals at District and State Contests. These medals were displayed at the Spring Concert.

After the Spring Concert, the Concert Band had only three more activities. On April 15, 1961, they participated in the State Band and Orchestra Contest: mid-May found them giving their final concert; and in June, they gave their final performance for the school year at the graduation exercises.

Music Men: Dr. Thomson, Mr. Davies, Mr. Gowdy





Clarinet—Barbara Brandt*, Linda Wineland*, Cynthia Wright*, Thomas Miller*, Jean Rohr, Jack Wampler, Kent Ash, Ronald Fletcher, David Stephey, Larry Windsor, Mike Williams, Rand Nilsson, Marcia Martin, Diane Lichtenberger, Sydna Lehman, Janice Flory, Bill Fuller, Pat Witwer, Mary Lou Stack, Donna Dygert, Nancy Schlabach, Marilyn Magnuson, Donna Troyer, Linda Quimby, Pam Hardwick, Mike Sekora, Sammy Hostetler, Richard Jackson

Flute—Kay Freeman*, Janet Heath*, Rona Grillo*, Marsha McClure*, Carter Dreeves*, Carol McCormick, Marsha Wise, Connie Crosbie, Jill Yousling, Pat Hass, Janice Thompson, Pat Eads, Gay Ann McCorkle, Margaret Cranmer, Louise Glass

Oboe—Margo Webb*, Judy Walters*, Margaret Melkus*, Judy Grubb*

Bassoon—Jim Lesher*, Janet Meyers*, Ray Mathis*, Kathy Hipskind*

Alto Clarinet—Roxy Horswell, Judy Hossler, Janice Artley

Bass Clarinet—Connie Ott*, Connie Drudge, Sue Hollingsworth

Alto Saxophone—Vicki Elmore*, Richard Pedler*, Jim Walters, Leon Burkhart, Phyllis Freed, Jim Freed

Tenor Saxophone—Chuck Renaldi*, Barbara Manahan, Jo Davis

Baritone Saxophone—Steve Artley*

Cornet-Trumpet—Sharon Thompson*, Doug Barton*, Larry F. Wiseman*, Jim Stiver*, David Ong, David Ort, Bob Woodward, Stan Teal, Marilyn Long, Nancy Bollero, Doug Kauffman, Denny Stout, Bruce Brown, Dick Rosentreter, Bill Deputy, Ben Bracher, Tom Moore

French Horn—Bob Rosentreter*, Joe Snearly*, John Penn*, Martha Cox*, Ron Hurley*, Terrell Reese, Sue Hostetler, John Butterbaugh*

Trombone—Reggie Fletcher*, Larry E. Wiseman*, Dave Poorbaugh*, Phil Oyer*, John Huster*, Chuck Bontrager, Bob Hoak, David Shinabarger, Leonard Echols, Melvin Olinghouse, Bud Bush, John Miller

Baritone—John Coblentz, Dick Holmes, Dennis Zimmerman, Steve Strauss, Mike Dinehart

Sousaphone—Ginny Pritschet*, Bill Landoc, Bill McKnight, John Perry, Bill Fieldbinder, Curtis Edmonds, John Kindig

Percussion—Jack Bell*, Neil Schneider*, Larry Warren*, Stuart Pickel, Ted Huff*, Kenny Beattie*, Carolyn Gustafson, John Frank*, Chuck Bower, John McLaughlin, Dick Fox

Majorettes—Sue Wollem, Mary Walter, Kathy Hipskind

Property Managers—Don Kidder, Larry Lievense, Mark Lockwood, Stan Mansfield

*indicates Orchestra Member

Band officers—John Perry, boys' social chairman; Marsha McClure, girls' social chairman; Virginia Pritchet, secretary-treasurer; Larry Wiseman, vice-president. President, Dick Pedler, was absent.





L. Alt and M. Pollock, Sports.

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Pennant Weekly

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With the installation of new press last year and a new font in January of this year, the Pennant Weekly took on a new look.

The Pennant Weekly is issued each Friday during homeroom. Its platform states its purpose: to publish all the worthwhile news, to publicize the worthwhile activities of EHS. It is a paper for and by the students; that is, the paper is written entirely by staff members; it is linotyped and printed by students. Miss Kelly and Mr. Ulery supervise, but the Pennant is a student production.

The Pennant is also self-supporting. Copies are sold at ten cents. Our advertising staff solicits ads from Elkhart merchants who defray part of the expenses by their patronage.

The Weekly puts out several special issues: the Christmas issue, the tourney blue and white issue, the "nut" issue, based on the Flintstones, the underclass issue, in April and the senior, which was the last issue to be published in June.



J. McQueen, V. Glick, C. Stanger.

Pennant Annual

The 1961 Annual staff chose our school hymn, "To Elkhart High," for the theme of the yearbook. Each section of the book is introduced by an appropriate phrase of the school hymn; for example, "The many lessons that we've learned, the teachers for whose help we turned . . ." introduces the academic section; and "Rememb'ring games we watched or played," introduces the athletics section.

Some original ideas materialized in the 1961 Pennant Annual as light blue "gate-fold" division pages added color to the book, which appeared in a two-textured black cover with gold letters.

The editorial staff consisted of Phyllis Wiseman, editor; Nancy Wallace, associate editor; Judy McQueen, Cindy Stanger, Vickie Glick, assistant editors; Toni Van Patten, senior editor; Bob Silcott, sports editor. Heading the business staff were Howard Alm, Eric Ernst, business managers; Barbara Bauge, advertising manager; Dick Klingaman, circulation manager. These people headed groups for special assignments: Roxy Horsewell, Anne Burkhardt, Carrol Snyder, Marilyn Yoder, Elaine Sarber, Sue Harvill, Barb Penrod.



P. Wiseman, N. Wallace.



E. Ernst, H. Alm, D. Klingaman.



J. Trier, B. Silcott.



B. Bauge, J. Pettit.



Front Row—J. Fuller, C. Renn, P. Sellers, M. Yoder, V. Pritschet. Row 2—S. Freed, P. Peery, B. Went, J. Smith, P. Earl, J. Hartman. Row 3—F. Thomas, P. Alderson, J. Darling, J. Mickalson, J. Krimes, K. Drudge.

G. A. A. Club



G. A. A., Girl's Athletic Association, tried to better the relationships of its members and to improve their skills in sports.

With Miss Kendall as sponsor and director, G. A. A. met in the girls gymnasium two nights each week, and also during Wednesday club periods, to learn about and practice volleyball and other sports. This is the only organized sports program in the school; and the girls who participated felt that they gained much, not only in skills but also in sportsmanship and attitudes.

The club often met with teams from other schools in Playdays; games, a buffet supper and friendly competition were enjoyed on these occasions.

Each spring, at a Mother-Daughter Banquet, awards are made for points earned in club activities.

Officers—C. Renn, Treas.; D. Dukes, Pres.; P. Sellers, Vice-Pres.; M. Yoder, Sec.; C. Perry, Cor. Sec.

Varsity Club

The Varsity Club, sponsored by Mr. Silcott, was composed of fifty-two members who had earned a major letter in any EHS sport. The purpose of the club is to develop closer relationships among athletes, to encourage better sportsmanship, and to maintain high standards of citizenship.

One of the achievements of the club this year was the organization of a Boys Cheerblock. First, speakers from the club visited every homeroom and discussed plans. A chart was made, arrangements made for tickets, and the Tourney Cheerblock was a success.

The club had several programs by former members who spoke about college sports and clubs.

This year the club worked on the dime line and sponsored the annual "Will Be-Has Been" game. In the spring the club sponsored a dance for all members and their dates.



Varsity Club Officers—S. Hardy, V. President; D. Steedy, Treasurer; S. Bell, Secretary; J. Stewart, President; J. Galasso, Sgt. at Arms.



Front Row—D. Nelson, T. Fetter, D. Howard, G. Ferro, B. Rouston, D. Kulp, B. McKight, T. Barrett, D. Steede. Row 2—P. Tillotson, J. Dempsey, D. Lucas, F. Roller, S. Price, D. Huffman, S. Rohalin, B. Holderman, J. Peckham, J. Stewart. Row 3—B. Walton, T. Miller, B. Bickel, W. Bell, Dale Pletcher, D. Foster, J. Van Horn, S. Bell, Don Pletcher. Row 4—T. Lantz, D. Compton, J. Janzaruk, B. Silcott, J. Ringenberg, R. Kollat, D. Rauguth, D. Edsel, R. Swope, T. Mathis. Row 5—L. Smith, B. Escue, D. Smith, S. Bock, T. Amos, C. Lamb, C. Webb, J. Galasso, M. Yeknik, D. Klingaman, F. Cummins, M. Smith, J. Bradley, J. Ellis.



Activities include little things: The pep band added color and spirit to pep sessions and basketball games



Little sophomore? No, John Perry isn't really a sophomore, but he sparked interest in assemblies as Sammy, the Sophomore



Elaine Sarber, Carrol Snyder, Toni Van Patten, Anne Burkhardt, and Sue Harvill, annual committee chairmen, sneak preview the underclass pictures

ATHLETICS



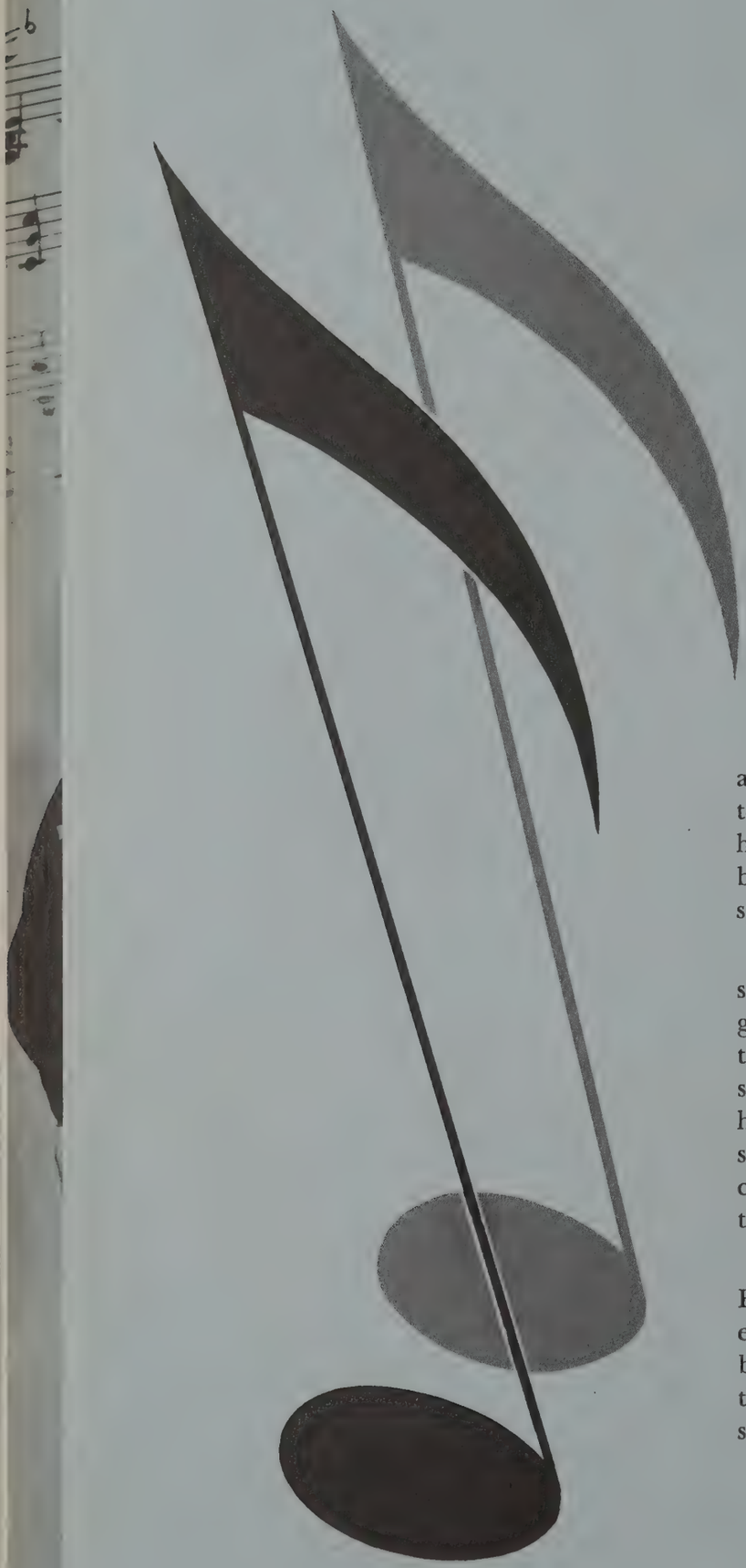
Rememb'ring games
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To Elkhart Hi
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ELKHART


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Man with bowling bag answers



Sports at EHS have an important place; to be an athlete, and to wear the coveted E is to be looked up to and admired. Coached by a fine staff of men who have high ideals of sportsmanship and character, the blue and white teams have high reputation in the state sports program.

Eight sports are offered, so that any boy can find some sport to participate in that uses his ability, and gives him a chance for success. In each sport competition is keen, and standards of performance are high, so that success is not easy. Behind every victory are hours of grueling practice, with the additional responsibility of keeping up grades. Our athletes and coaches deserve much praise, and we are proud of them.

Our big North Side Gym, and our beautiful Rice Field are the scenes of many enjoyable and exciting evenings for sport spectators. Marching and pep bands, the cheerblocks, the color, the thrills . . . all these make Blazer sports an unforgettable part of the school year.

Go, Go, Blazers

From hot September days to warm May afternoons at Rice Field . . . in eight varsity sports, which offer EHS boys a wide choice . . . the boys on the Blazer Squads give us many thrills, all through the year; sometimes we know the elation of victory, and sometimes the bitterness of defeat . . .

But always, at EHS, a great part of school spirit is Backing the Blazers.





The football staff for the 1960 season was: Head Coach, John Janzaruk; Assts., S. A. Campagnoli, Max E. Bell, and Rollie Hoover.



Jan throws out the ball to open the 1960 season, August 15.

Blazers Open With Two Wins

On August 15, seventy-five prospective gridders reported to Coach Janzaruk at Rice Field. During the hot humid month of August the boys practiced for the coming season. All this practice and hard work led to a good season with one of Elkhart's finest teams.

September 2, the Blazers opened their 1960 campaign against South Bend St. Joseph's Indians. Since Elkhart was playing their first game, things were a bit ragged at times, but the Big Blue was able to scrape out a 13 to 6 victory.

On the Friday night following the St. Joe game, the Blazers faced Gary Froebel. The Blazer team was better organized, as they ramped to a 33 to 0 victory. Jim Stewart was the big gun on offense; he scored four times and set up another touchdown. The defensive unit could not have been much better as the opposing team was able to move the ball only 54 yards from the scrimmage line all evening.



Row 1—J. Morgan, W. Myers, D. Janzaruk, A. Middleton, J. Chester, D. Pippenger, S. Lincoln, W. Routson, R. Hemninger, J. S. Campagnoli, A. Trent, S. Bock, R. Ballard. Row 2—Coach R. Hoover, J. Cleveland, S. Ulis, D. Pletcher, S. Price, J. Stewart, D. Huffman, J. Shuler, M. Yeknik, J. Ellis, D. Rauguth, S. Bell, J. Peckham. Row 3—Coaches: A. Campagnoli, J. Razmic, J. Janzaruk; J. Hart, S. Campagnoli, W. Bell, S. Racholin, D. Nelson, J. Galasso, S. Hardy, S. Eldridge, J. Janzaruk, R. Swoape, S. Terlep, C. Webb, M. Bell, Coach.



Rough going ahead for Steve Price.

Swamp Goshen:
Edged By S. B. Wash.

The following Friday Elkhart was matched against their arch rival, Goshen. The game was all Elkhart's as Goshen threatened to score only once. The Blazer offense was a consistent machine, chalking up 41 points against the Redskins' 0. The Blazer defense was also a standout: the Goshenites were stopped consistently.

After the Blazers had handily defeated Goshen, they met the eventual conference champions, the South Bend Washington Panthers. Elkhart had the game well in hand going into the fourth quarter, but two end sweeps by the Panther backs caught the Blazers flatfooted. These two fourth quarter scores by the late rallying Panthers were enough to halt the Blazers, 20 to 13.

Dave Rauguth—E. H. S. 1960 Captain, All-Conference Center

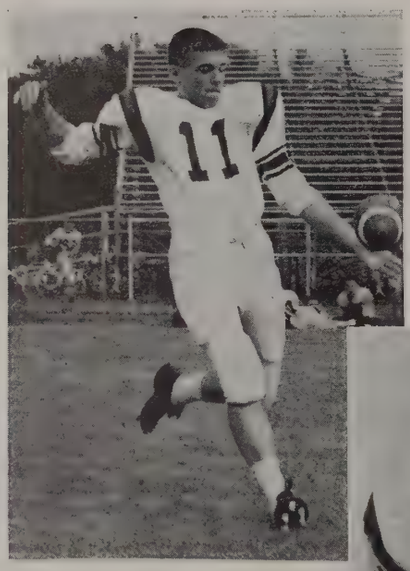


Jim Stewart—E. H. S. Most Valuable Player, All State, All-Conference Halfback





Willie Bell (25) crunches through the line with Steve Price (17), Jim Stewart (14), John Peckham (13), and John Janzaruk (51)



Steve Bell
Quarterback,
defensive Halfback



John Ellis
Halfback, linebacker



Steve Hardy—
Tackle

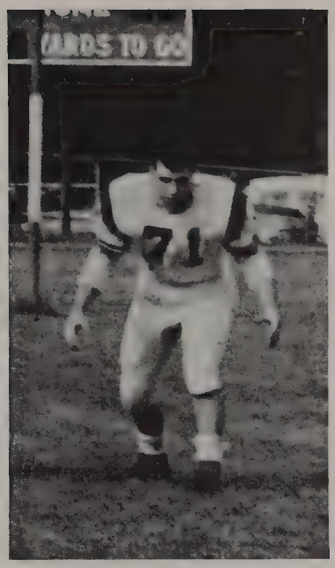
2 Rallies: 2 Wins: Lose in Mud

The fifth game of the season pitted Elkhart against Fort Wayne Central's Tigers. Elkhart scored on the opening kickoff as Steve Price ran 85 yards down the sideline. Although Elkhart scored first, they needed a rally in the second half in order to stop the fighting Tigers. Elkhart displayed a fine comeback spirit to win 25 to 20, although they played the second half without three regulars.

A second half rally against South Bend Riley carried the Blazers to their fifth win in six starts this season. After a frustrating first half, the Blazers picked up steam and went on to win 20 to 0. Willie Bell scored two touchdowns on short plunges. The third touchdown was scored by Jim Stewart on a 37 yard pass interception.

Elkhart's second loss of the season come at the hands of the LaPorte Slicers at LaPorte, 7 to 0. Thirteen fumbles kept the Blazers from putting any kind of a scoring march together as LaPorte scored a touchdown in the first period for the game's only score. The game was played in ankle-deep water which made ball handling very difficult.

Finish Strong For 8-2 Record



John Shuler
Guard

The Blazers bounced back after their loss to LaPorte and defeated South Bend Adams 14 to 7. Willie Bell scored the first touchdown on a short plunge and Jim Stewart scored the tie-breaking T. D. on an 84 yard run. EHS at full strength for the first time in a month, won their sixth in eight games.

Elkhart put together their best offensive of the year as they beat the Maroons of Mishawaka, 38 to 0. Elkhart's two fine halfbacks, Jim Stewart and Steve Price, did all of the scoring, getting four touchdowns and two touchdowns respectively. Fine blocking and vicious tackling gave the Blazers a 7 and 2 record.

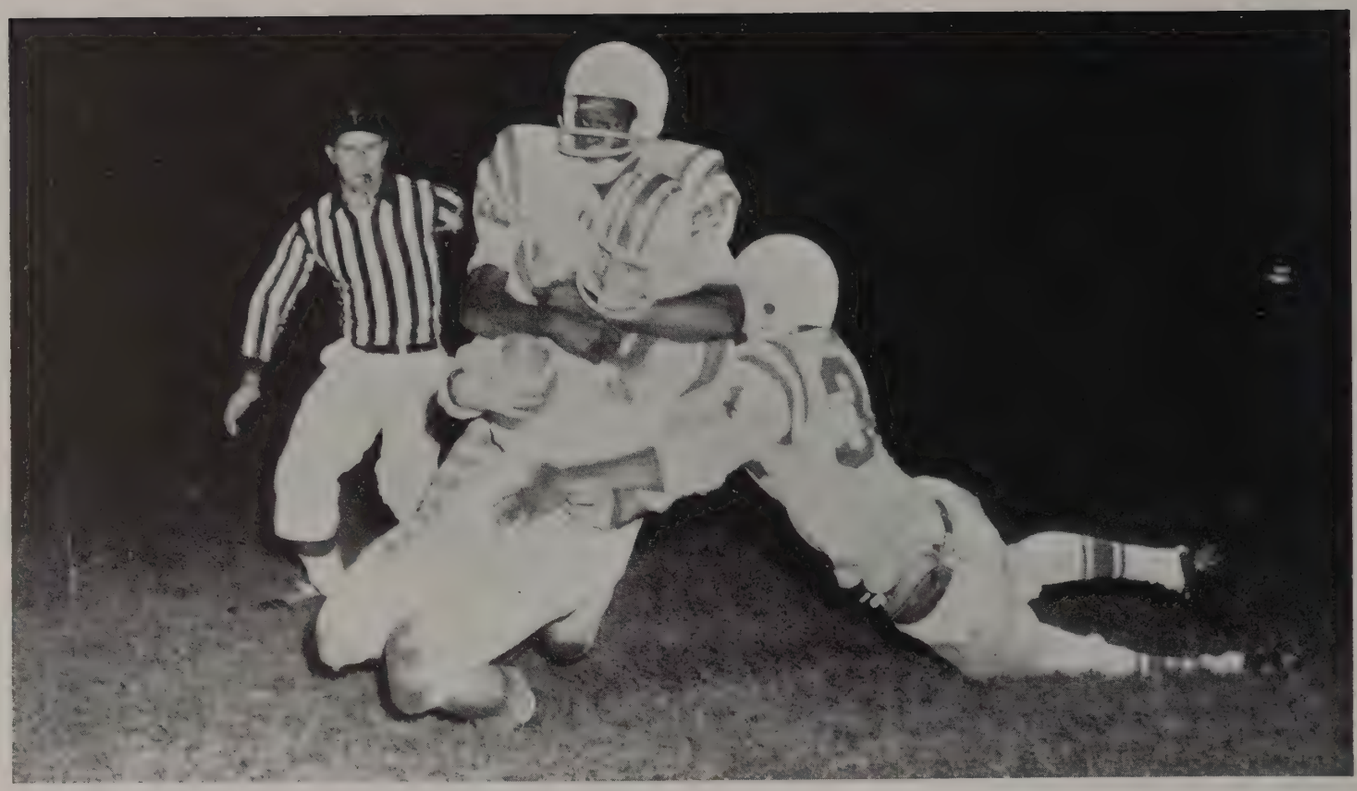
Elkhart wound up a very fine season against South Bend Central with a 20 to 6 victory. Jim Stewart scored the first two touchdowns and Steve Price scored the third on a short line plunge.



Dick Klingaman
Halfback,
defensive cornerman

Coley Webb and Steve Price haul down a Ft. Central runner after a short gain





Jim Stewart flies on one of his long gainers



Dick Nelson
End



John Peckham
Quarterback

John Gallasso
Tackle



Homecoming Queen Crowned

The Blazers ended the season with a 8 and 2 record. This was the best season Elkhart has had since winning the Conference crown several years ago. However, this year the 8 and 2 record was only the second best in the conference, placing Elkhart fourth behind a three-way first-place tie. Next year Elkhart will be minus fifteen '61 graduates but will have ten returnees, who have lettered.

During the half-time intermission of the South Bend Riley game, the fans were entertained by a ceremony that featured the homecoming queen and attendants and their escorts. This year's queen was Mary Lou Kelly. Her attendants were Linda Yoder from the junior class and Sherry Papa from the sophomore class.



Steve Bell, Quarterback, Handing off to Steve Price, halfback, with Willie Bell, fullback, following

Steve Raholin
Tackle





Don Pletcher—End



Dick Huffman,
Guard



The Blazers played before many enthusiastic crowds



Homecoming Queen and Attendants: Linda Yoder, Junior attendant, and escort, Jim Dempsey; Queen, May Lou Kelly and escort, Chuck Lamb; sophomore attendant, Sherry Papa and escort, Dennis Foster.



Football awards winners: Steve Bell; Coley Webb; Steve Terlep; Steve Bock; (front) John Janzaruk; Jim Stewart; Dave Rauguth; and speaker, Duffy Daugherty.



Matt Yeknik
Fullback,
defensive halfback

Duffy Daugherty Addresses Team

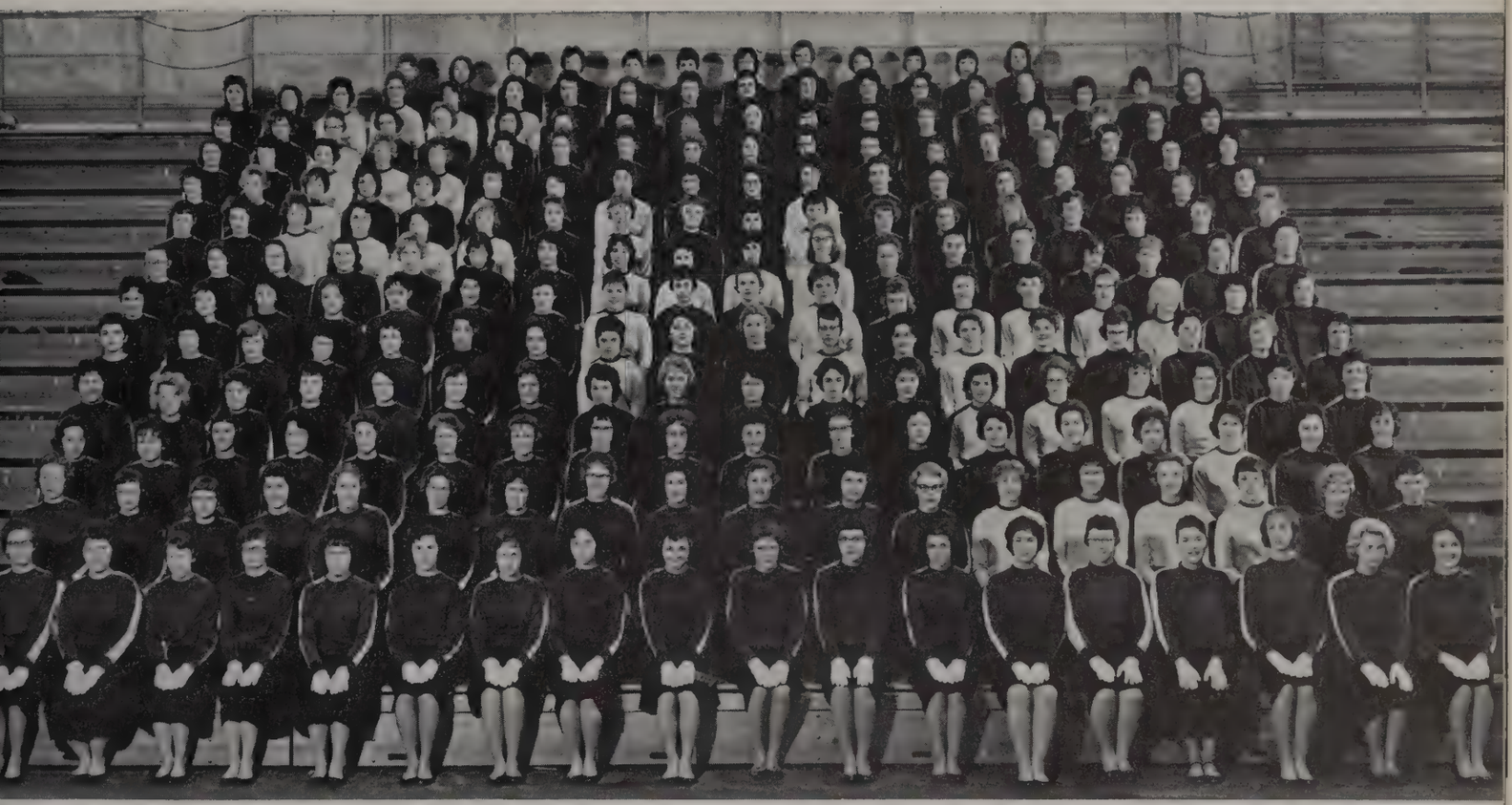
The Blazers were honored at a banquet at the Elcona Country Club after the close of the season. Winning the special awards for the Blazers were: Jim Stewart, most valuable; Steve Bock, best offensive lineman; Steve Terlep, best defensive lineman; Jim Stewart, best offensive back; Steve Bell, most pass interceptions; Dave Rauguth, Captain, most downfield blocks, and most spirited player; Coley Webb, most tackles. Duffy Daugherty, head coach at Michigan State University, was the main speaker at the banquet.



The 1960 junior varsity under coach Max E. Bell compiled a 7-1-1 record



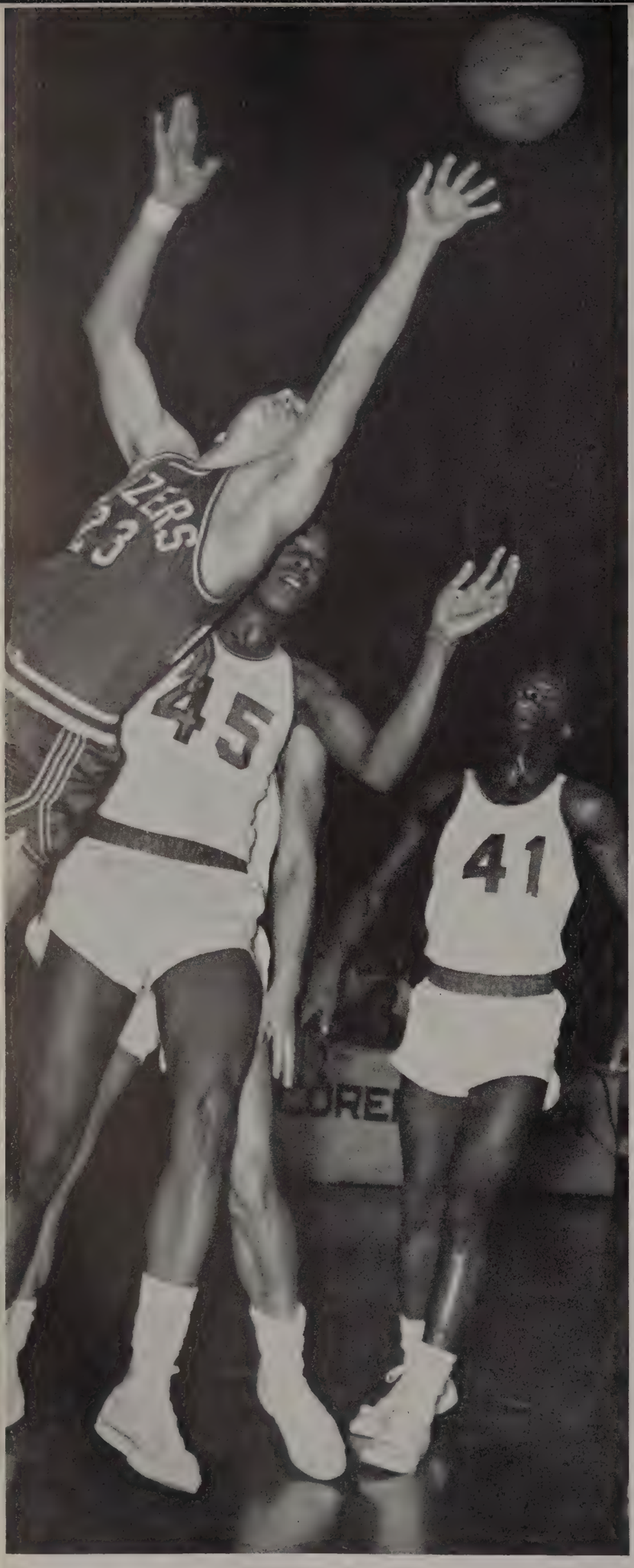
Shirley Kneile was one of the seniors who led the cheer block at EHS basketball games.



The EHS Cheerblock in formation

Six girls were cheerleaders for the athletic teams at Elkhart during the 1960-61 school year. Pictured are Nancy Keech, Linda Yoder, Carolyn Gustafson, Shirley Kniele, and Judy Cawley. Betty Cittadine was not present when the picture was taken.





BASKETBALL TEAM: ANOTHER STRONG STATE CONTENDER

Started fast 'til Muncie and Komoko

Elkhart successfully opened its season against a small but determined Penn High School team. The Blazers found no trouble scoring and rolled to a 68-40 triumph. Steve Bell led a rounded scoring attack with 17 points.

Three days later Elkhart overpowered county rival Nappanee, 59-36. This time Denny Foster led the point-makers with 14 points.

On the next Friday EHS became the first team during the 1960-61 season to derail the East Chicago Washington Senators, the State Champions of 1960. Elkhart trailed most of the way but used its press to build up a winning spurt that conquered the Senators, 77-63.

After a hard fought struggle with East Chicago, and a weary road trip, the Blazers won a Saturday night game from the Marion Giants, 62-55.

EHS then ran over the hustling LaPorte Slicers for its first conference win, 78-66.

It took a sudden-death double overtime for the Blazers to beat a scrappy Mishawaka five, 57-55. Chuck Lamb tipped in a missed field goal attempt to end the nip and tuck battle.

In Elkhart's third road game, against the Muncie Bearcats, the Blazers had to play without their first-string guard Denny Foster. The Blazers were outmanned 72-47. Steve Bell led with 21 points.

The Blazers absorbed their second defeat of the season, 55-77, at the hands of the powerful Kokomo Wildcats, the eventual State Champs.

The Blazers drew the Concord Minutemen in the Holiday Tourney and easily disposed of them, 60-49.

In the night session a Fort Wayne Central team, highly rated from early season victories were more than a match for EHS. The Blue stuck with the Tigers for one half but ran out of gas to permit Central to triumph, 63-47.

Starting the new year right, the Blazers trounced the South Bend Washington Panthers, 65-48, in a roughly played contest.

Steve Bell (23) scores against Muncie



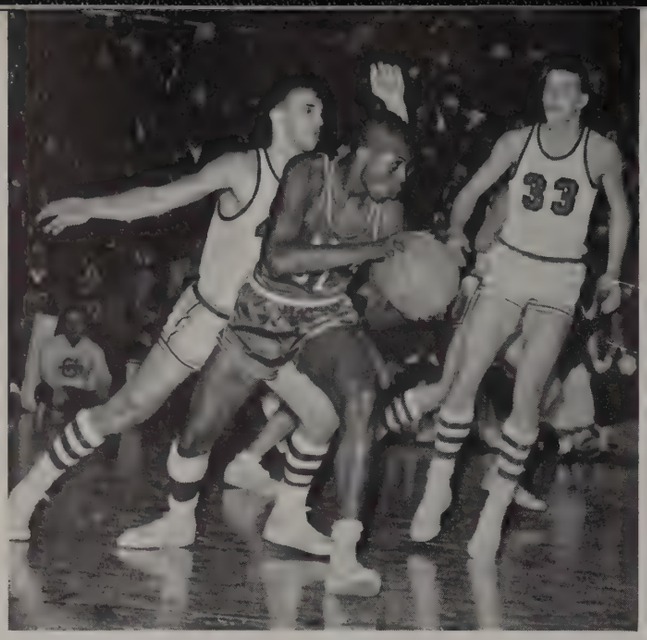
Dennis Foster (32) drives past the Kokomo Kats.



Eldy and Max rehash the game for radio fans.

Foster (33), Lamb (55), and Syd Ulis (45) have a Nappanee Bulldog penned.





Coley Webb (51) pulls down Redskin shot and starts EHS fast break.

Slipped through drought and began to improve

The following night the Blazers, without the services of top-scorer Steve Bell, were outmanned by the tall Indianapolis Attucks before a capacity crowd, 44-60.

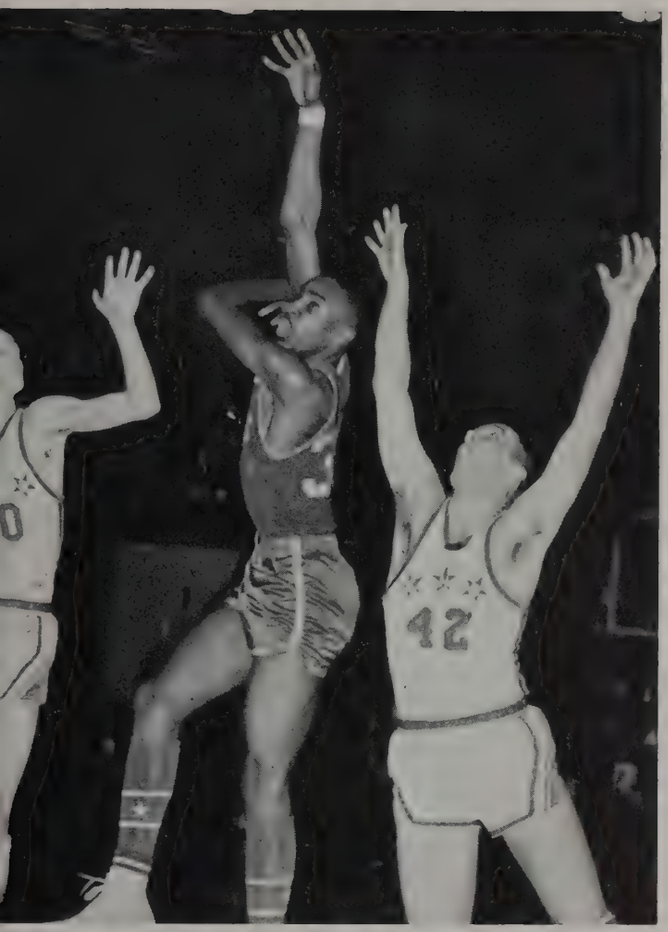
Next, the Blazers had trouble finding the range against the Michigan City Red Devils and found themselves on the short end of a 60-43 score.

Coach Bell's crew went down south to Richmond for a Saturday night contest and just slipped through, 57-51. The Blazers were somewhat tired from the Michigan City game to account for their logginess.

Against the Fort Wayne North Side five the Blazers were forced to resort to a press and barely nailed down a 61-60 margin with a free throw in the last seconds by Don Pletcher.

Bell (22) lays one up over Kokomo.

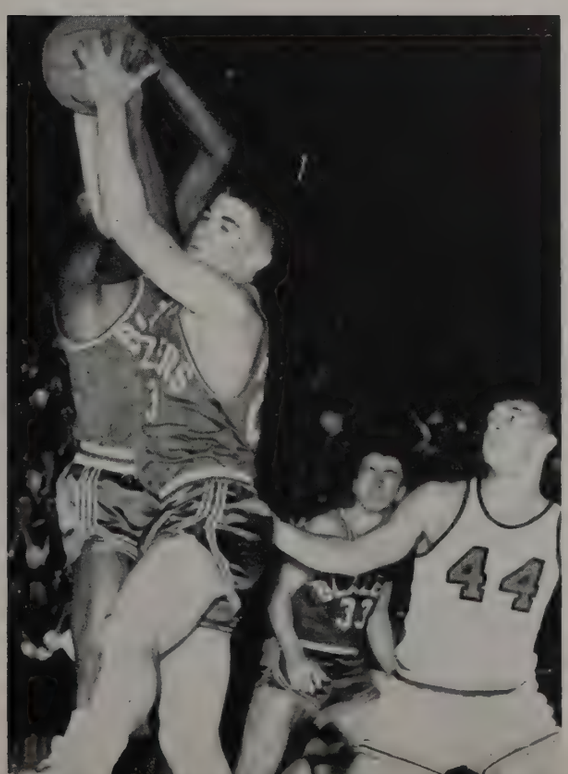




Tom Lantz (20) and Don Pletcher (42) try to stop Crispus Attucks.



Concord player finds there's no escaping Pletcher (43) or Lamb (55).



Bell (23) and Webb (51) both want this rebound from Goshen.

Came down the home stretch strongly

In a tough ball game to lose, the EHS team was stopped by the Goshen Redskins, 55-53. This was the first ball game to be played in their new gym, and a victory Goshen had long waited for.

Elkhart won its fifth conference game at Adams Gymnasium in South Bend. The Blazers, receiving a very fine showing from junior center Coley Webb, rolled over South Bend Riley, 66-49.

Elkhart got revenge for an earlier defeat by downing Fort Wayne Central in a thrilling contest, 52-48.

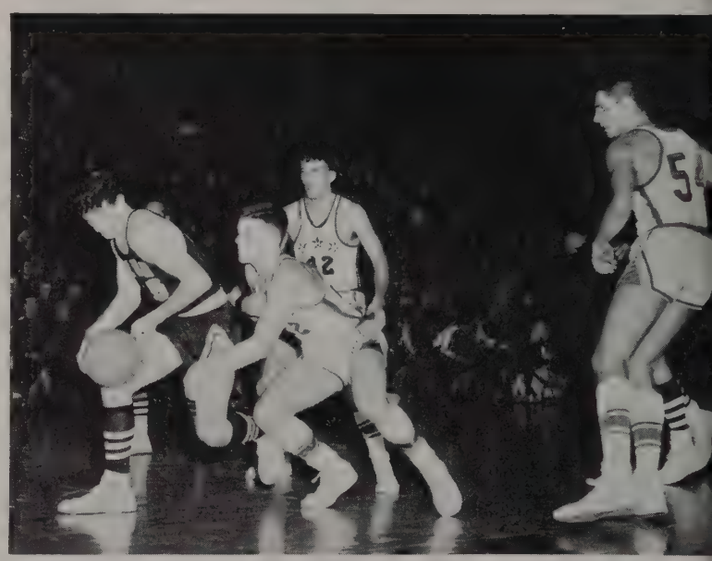
The Blazers pulled away in the last quarter to defeat South Bend Adams, 57-48, and gained their 6th league win.



Webb (51) screens, as Lamb (55) drives against the Minutemen.



Lamb gets off jumper at foul line against South Bend Central.



Penn player goes nowhere with Bell (22), Pletcher (42), and Lamb (54) around.



Foster is fouled by Central Bear but makes shot.



Webb (50) is in a hurry with Foster (32) ready to help.

Topped two old rivals

EHS racked up its fourth straight victory and assured itself of second place in the conference by beating old rival South Bend Central, 71-63.

Elkhart went into the sectionals the favorite, even though beaten once by Goshen. In the first game, Elkhart raced to a 20-3 first quarter lead and Middlebury could not make up the difference. Elkhart won handily, 73-47.

Elkhart had little trouble in the second game as they turned back Shipshewana-Scott, 67-51.



Foster makes sure this Central shot never reaches basket.

Student Body bid GOOD LUCK to semi-state bound team.





The Pep Band supplied more than music to the North Side crowds.

Eliminated in State Round of Sixteen,



Sectional-Regional winners—Front row, from left to right; Dave Steede (Mgr.), Dennis Foster, Syd Ulis, Chuck Lamb, Don Pletcher, Steve Bell, Arlyn Guengerich (Mgr.), Back row; Max Bell, Tom Fetter, Jim Dempsey, Coley Webb, Roger Kollat, Tom Lantz, and Joe Harvey.



Coach Max Bell congratulates trophy winners at banquet. From left: Max Bell; Don Odle, banquet speaker; Steve Bell, Most Valuable; Chuck Lamb, Most Rebounds; Don Pletcher, Free Throws and Co-Captain; Dennis Foster, Co-Captain; and Bill Bickel, B-Team Free Throws.

Were feted at Banquet to end season

The third game with Concord was much closer, the final margin not reached until Don Pletcher sank two free throws with five seconds left, to ice the win, 63-60.

The stage was set for the rematch between the Blazers and the Goshen Redskins. The game figured to be a close one, but the Blazers raced away to a 24-8 first quarter lead and continued to pour it on the rest of the way. Syd Ulis turned in an outstanding game and led the Blazers with 26 points in their 78-44 rout.

Steve Bell garnered 25 points as Elkhart stomped Bremen, 80-37, in the first game of the regional.

At night Elkhart eked past Columbia City with a well-balanced attack, 54-53.

The Blazers, traveling to Fort Wayne for the second straight year, were edged by an inspired Berne team, 66-62, but not until the Blazers had fought hard and had a last rally barely denied.

Don Odle, the head coach at Taylor University and renowned head of many good will basketball tours overseas, was the principal speaker at the basketball banquet. The trophies for outstanding players in various departments were given to: Steve Bell, Most Valuable; Chuck Lamb, Most Rebounds; Don Pletcher, Free Throws and Co-Captain; Denny Foster, Co-Captain; and Bill Bickel, B-Team Free Throws.



Managers for the year were Ed Hobson, David Steede, and Arlyn Guengerich.



The 1960-61 Wrestling Team (from left to right)—Front row; Bob Thomas, Bob Scott, Jerry Hart, Lyle Smith, Dennis Howard, and Tom Zience. Back row; Steve Hardy, Roy Swoape, Tom Linder, Ron Ravenscroft, Phil Oyer, Tom Miller (Mgr.), Al Trent, and Coach Rollie Hoover.

Wrestling

The Blue Blazer wrestling team had a fine 8-3-1 record last winter. The squad, coached by Rollie Hoover, had several of its individuals place high in state competition. Captain Bobby Scott, who lost only one match all year long, was third in the State, and won every other possible title in his weight division, and Jerry Hart, fourth in the State Meet in his division, were the top wrestlers. Several others won recognition in the conference.

Seniors graduating are Scott, Steve Hardy, Tom Linder, Phil Oyer, and Lyle Smith. Returning E-men include Roy Swoape, Jerry Hart, Dennis Howard, Tom Zience, Ron Ravenscroft, Bob Thomas, and Al Trent.



Jerry Hart has an opponent in trouble.

Baseball

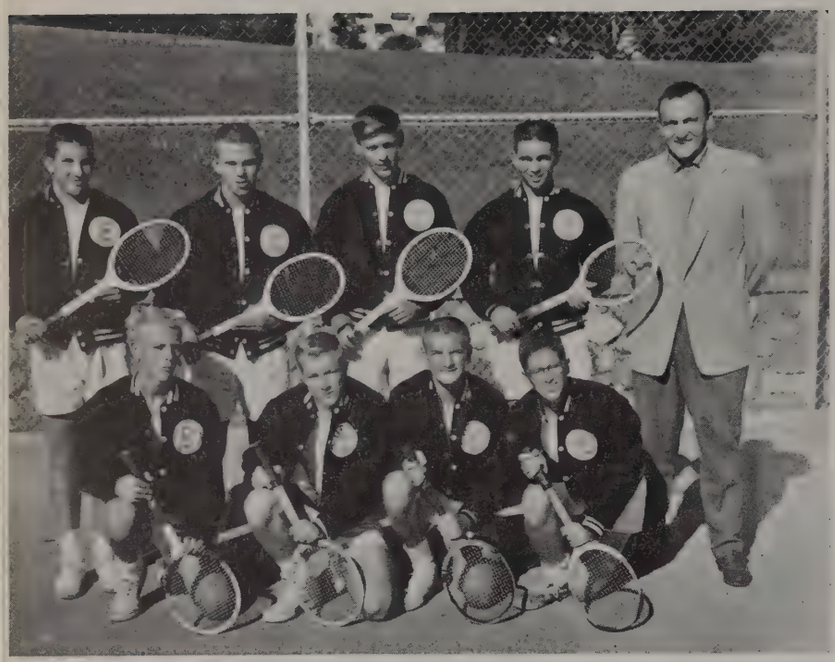
Middle inning rallies and steady pitching have helped the Blazers start a fine season. Thus far, the Blazer nine has won four of their five games. They have defeated Niles, St. Joe, Mishawaka, and Michigan City. The only loss of the young season was to LaPorte by a score of 1-0 in extra innings. The Blazers entertain high conference hopes.



EHS had good pitchers: Frank Cummins, Jeff Bradley, Don Lucas, and Mike Smith. Two possible batteries, pitchers Don Lucas and Mike Smith, and catcher Dick Kucela.



The 1961 baseball squad was (Front) John Peckham, Steve Eldridge, Jeff Bradley, Phil Pletcher, Tom Fetter, Jerry Ferro, (Back) Coach Jerry Hostetler, Don Lucas, Bob Reno, Dick Kucela, Mike Smith, John Janzaruk, Frank Cummins, Tom Mathis, and Dick Huffman.



The 1960 tennis squad was: (front) Wally Weis, Dennis Culp, Gene Havrilenko, McFarland; (back) Tim Barrett, Tom Fetter, John Boss, Bill Holdeman, Coach Grover Smith; Tom Lantz was absent when the picture was taken.

Strong Netters Conf. Runner-ups

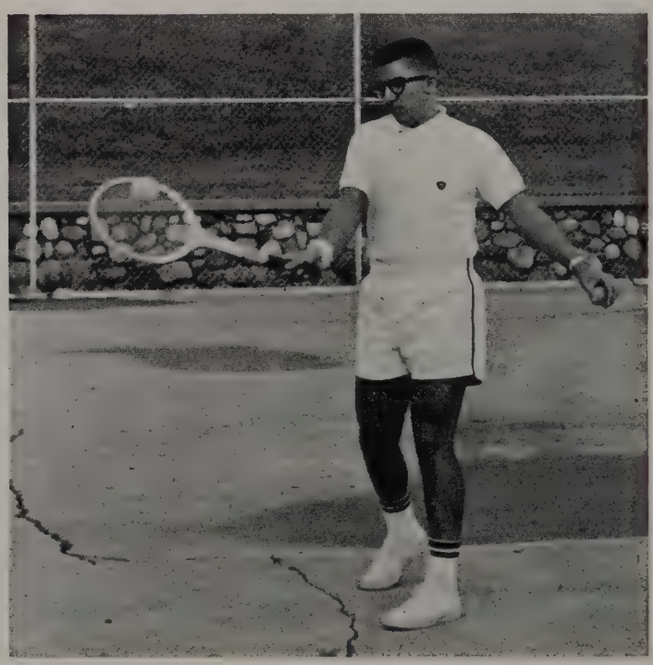
Under the direction of Coach Grover Smith, the EHS tennis team enjoyed another great season. The netters compiled a fine 7-1 record to cop second place in the East Division of the N.I.H.S.C.

For their first match of the season the Blazers traveled to Fort Wayne North and whipped the host team, 5-0. The second match found Elkhart losing a tough 2-3 decision to eventual conference champ Goshen. The netters were soon back on the victory trail as they whitewashed South Bend Adams, 5-0, and blasted South Bend Riley, 4-1. In a close encounter at Michigan City, Elkhart won 3-2. The Blazers continued their winning ways by shutting out South Bend Central, 5-0, and defeating LaPorte, 4-1. In their final match of the season, the netmen swamped Mishawaka, 5-0, for their sixth straight victory and fourth shutout.

Tim Barrett, who was undefeated in No. 1 singles competition, was elected captain of this year's team. Barrett and Bill Holdeman formed the nucleus of the two doubles teams. The squad, composed mainly of underclassmen, loses Barrett, Holdeman, and Dale Pletcher through graduation.



Bill Holdeman warming up his service



Tim Barrett, undefeated No. 1 player



Runners on the EHS Cross Country squad were (front row) Tom Billings, Bill McKnight, Bob Walton, Bob Escue, Bob Scott; (back row) Coach Joe Harvey, Roger Kollat, Don Smith, Terry Amos, Robin Podawiltz, and Marvin Long.

C. C. Squad 11th In State

In spite of being one of the smallest teams in EHS history, the Cross Country team had a fine season, in the fall of '60.

First, they placed second in the conference in dual competition. Then they captured the E.N.I.H.S. Conference Meet. Elkhart became the first team in the meet's history to have runners win three of the first five places: first, Bobby Scott; third, Bob Escue; and fourth, Bob Walton.

The Harriers qualified for the state meet by placing third in the South Bend Sectionals, and placed twenty-first in a large field of state squads at the Shortridge Invitational.

In the State Meet, our runners placed eleventh in a field of twenty-three schools.

All nine Harriers won varsity letters and Bobby Scott, Captain, never finished lower than third in any meet all season. He took second in a dual meet, third in the Invitational, and second in the State.

Bobby Scott, second in State





Bob Walton, Senior Harrier star



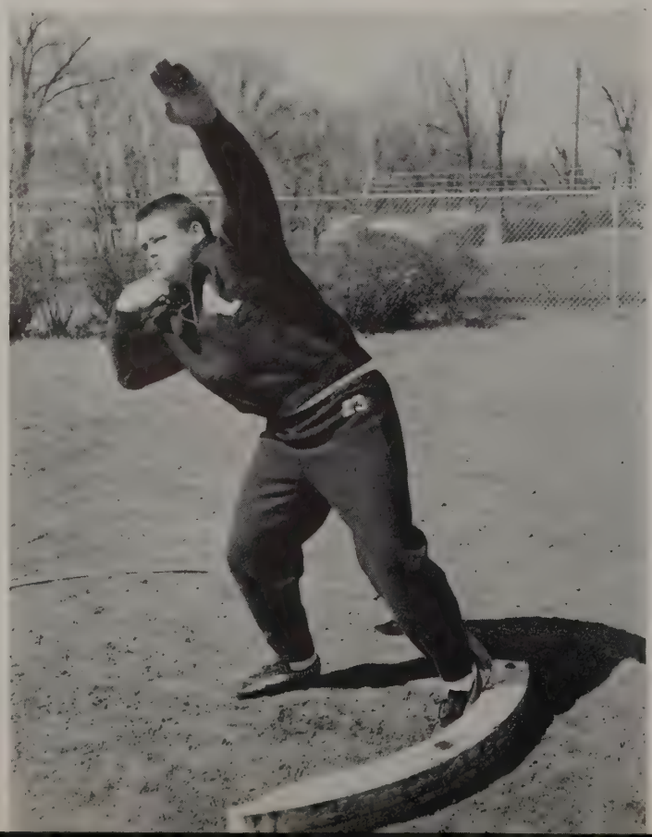
Bobby Scott is used to leading at the finish.

Track

Co-coaches Rollie Hoover and John Janzaruk were faced at the start of the track season with a tremendous job of rebuilding last year's fine team. Returning veterans included Bob Scott in the 880, Bob Walton and Bob Escue in the mile, Syd Ulis in the 440, Dave Rauguth in the hurdles, Steve Hardy in the shot put, and Jerry Hart and Denny Foster in the broad jump.

In the early stages of the season Scott turned in a fine 2:00.2 clocking in the half mile. In dual meets the tracksters beat St. Joe, but lost to Fort Wayne South and Niles. In their only big meet of the season Elkhart had several good performances in the Goshen Relays.

Steve Hardy gets the ball way out there.



Dave Rauguth trips the sticks in good times.





Jerry Hart is an all-around performer.



Syd Ulis finishes strong—and ahead

The '61 Track Team

Front Row: F. Roller, R. Swoape, J. Chester, B. Scott, S. Williams, T. Henderson, F. Brant. Second Row: J. Hart, S. Campagnoli, W. Wise, S. Hardy, D. Rauguth, B. Escue, B. Walton. Third Row: T. Clarkson, R. Kery, K. Ulis, T. Thomas, D. Foster, S. Ulis, D. Smith. Fourth Row: M. Hardy, D. Bundy, M. Long, D. Trindle, A. Reames, C. Webb, D. Pippenger. Fifth Row: J. Cleveland, R. Hartman, D. Wilmore, R. Pattetuci, D. Gygi, T. Billings, A. Middleton. Sixth Row: J. Harper, K. Hollingsworth, W. Hilliard, A. Trent.





Bob Silcott tried to do this as few times as possible.

Golf

A veteran golf squad represented EHS hopes in the state field. The linksters won their first outings, handily beating Mishawaka, Howe, S. B. Central and Penn. Entering conference competition, Coach Bell's charges met their first setback in a match with S. B. Adams. However, the Blazers whipped Mishawaka, Central, and Michigan City to tentatively rate 2nd in the conference. The team balance was good, demonstrated by the fact that no one has eclipsed EHS in team total. Prospects are very good for high state honors in golf.

The 1961 Golf Team was coached by Max Bell, left; Team: John Cawley, Jeff Van Horn, Bob Stone, Steve Bell, Bob Silcott, and John Trautman



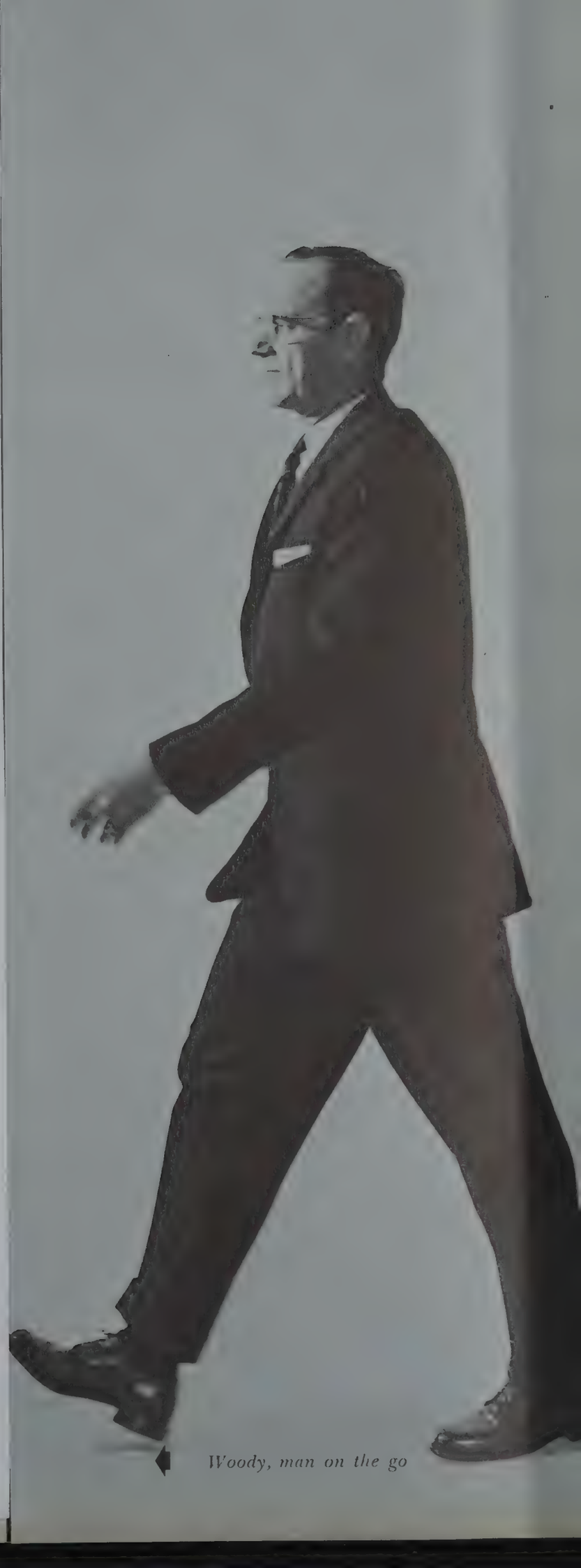
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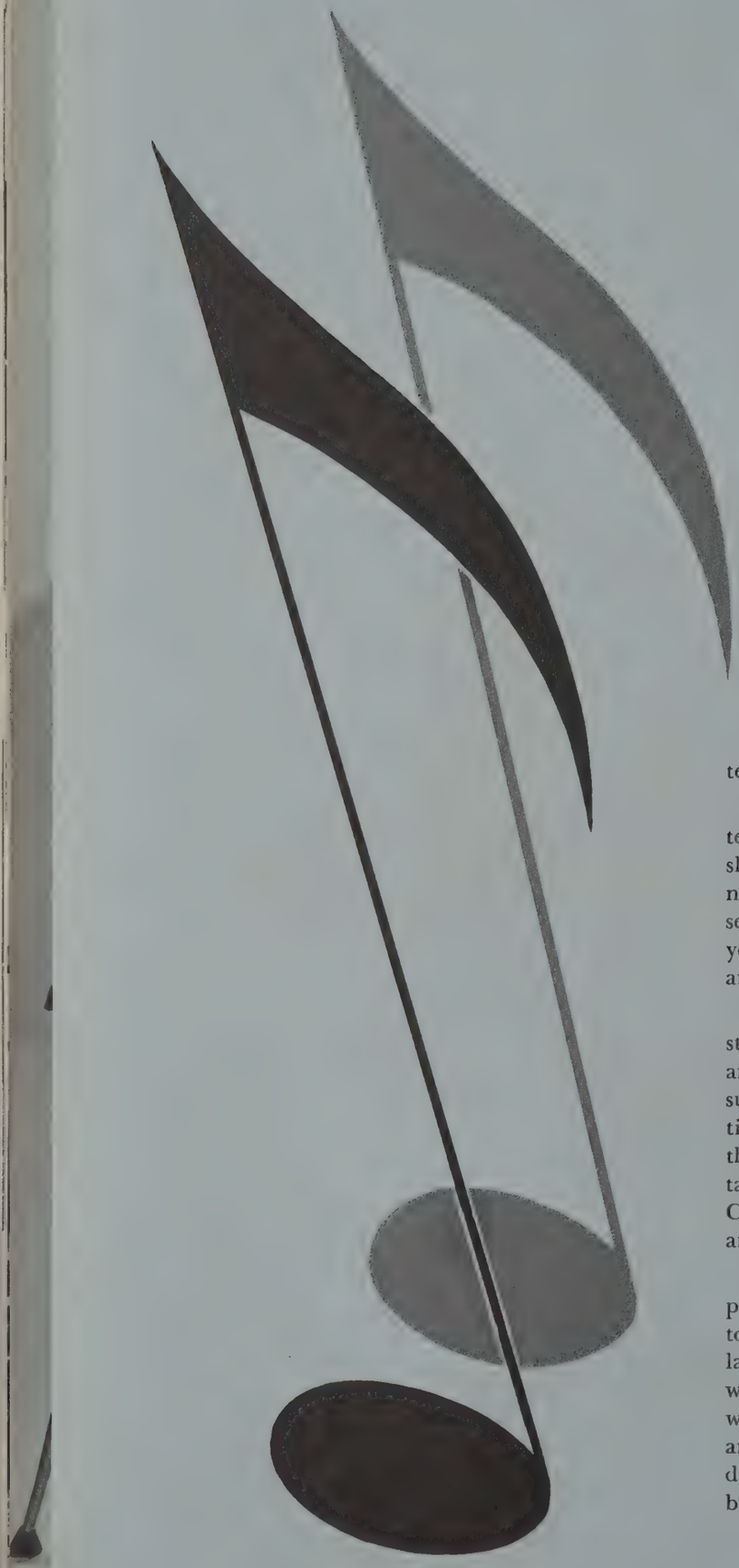
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The people of EHS, more than 2050 of us, counting our teachers (and how could we leave them out?) . . .

First, there are the seniors, the class of '61. "You can always tell a senior, but you can't tell him much." Seniors move slowly through the halls, feeling their importance, feeling no need to rush to class; seniors take the lead in school affairs; seniors get the coveted seats in assembly programs; seniors yell loudest at pep sessions. But seniors study, most of them, and seniors have a strong, steadying influence in the school.

Juniors have begun to wake up; they have settled down to studying, and to realizing the importance of grades. Juniors are busy, too; they start working on the "Follies" during the summer, and spend the fall worrying about rehearsals and ticket sales. Then they begin to work on and worry about the class play and the prom. In the meantime they begin to take on responsibilities in clubs, organizations, in the Student Council, in athletics, and in music. Juniors are busy, active, and nice to have around, at times.

Sophomores are silly, loud, imitative, uncertain, scared, puzzled and numerous. Because they are imitative, sophs try to conform to EHS ways. Sophs rush to class, afraid of being late; sophs are too scared to be informal with teachers, sophs worry about their bug and leaf-hunting, and about what to wear or what to do; sophs join everything, hoping to succeed, and to win approval. But sophomores will be seniors someday, and because they are scared, most of them work hard, and by the end of the year, most of them fit into the EHS pattern.

History of the Class of 1961

For many seniors, this summer will seem like the lull after a storm—a storm of activities, that is. After a rather quiet sophomore year with our only class activities being our sophomore party and picnic, we came to our very exciting junior year. We all felt proud and exhausted after our wonderful Junior Follies, "Those Wonderful Years", our class play, "Our Night Out", and our own prom given for the seniors of 1960. The excitement of the prom, coupled with our class picnic in May, ended our junior year.

Almost without realizing it had finally come, we entered our senior year, the year we sat in the front rows at football games, elected queens instead of attendants, and got an all-round exaggerated view-point of our own importance. In October we actually began to feel like seniors when we ordered senior pictures, namecards, and graduation announcements. Our first class activity came in November with our presentation of George Bernard Shaw's comedy, "The Devil's Disciple". Then on March 15 nearly 200 seniors came dressed in Roman togas for the annual "Has-Been, Will-Be", game, a game played between the graduating seniors on the basketball team and the underclassmen. A very exciting and entertaining chariot race at the half-time of this game coincided with our theme ,"Ben Hur".



Senior officers: Nancy Keech, John Coblentz, Phil Oyer, Matt Yetnik, Carolyn Gustafson, Robin Padawiltz

Senior sponsors: Mrs. Fox, Mr. Rex Harvey



On May 13, we gathered for our last informal gathering as a class, our class picnic. Just a week later, on May 20, we felt the spirit of an actual Mardi Gras as we attended the beautiful prom, "Mardi Gras", given for us by the junior class.

Following the A.A.U.W. Tea, we attended Baccalaureate, the senior banquet, Senior Day, and finally ended our whirl-wind of activities with our own graduation.

Looking back, we feel proud to have been a part of the class of 1961, a class we feel has accomplished many things. But looking forward, we realize that commencement has not been an end-point, it is only the beginning of our lives in the world as adults.

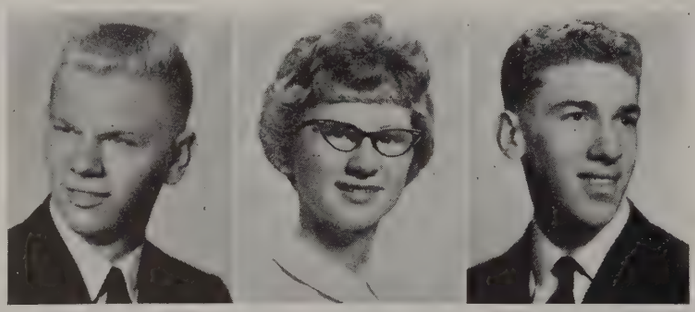
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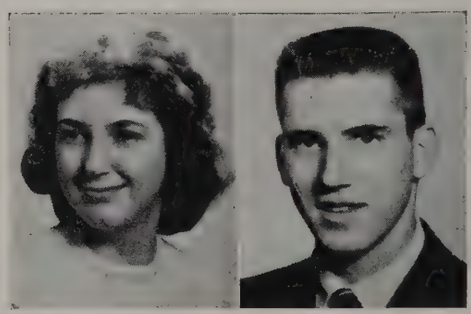
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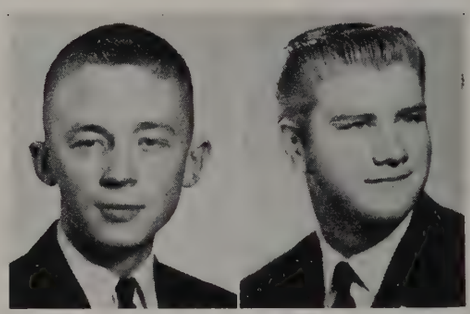
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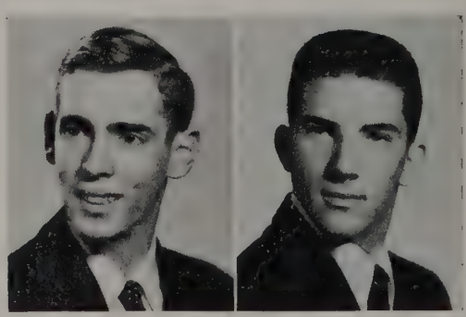
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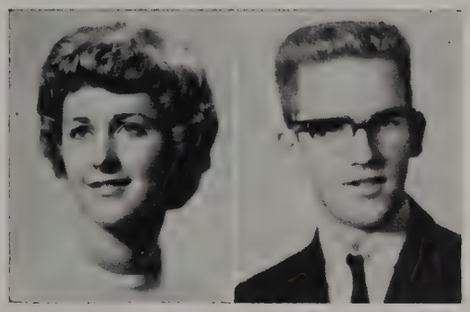


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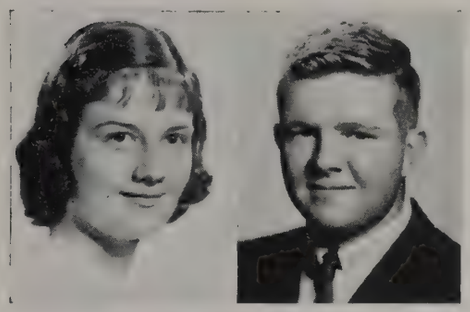


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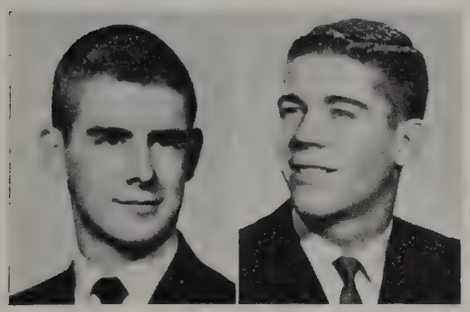
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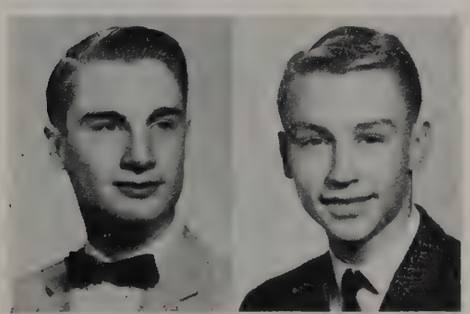
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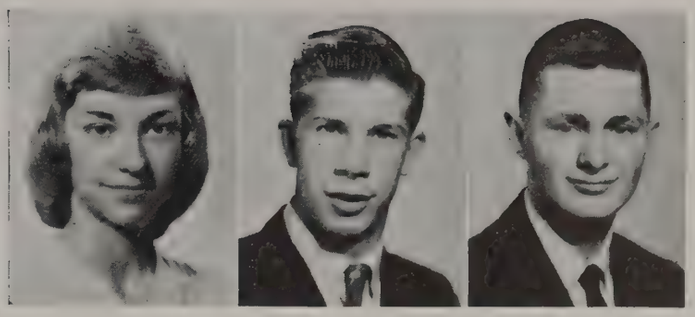
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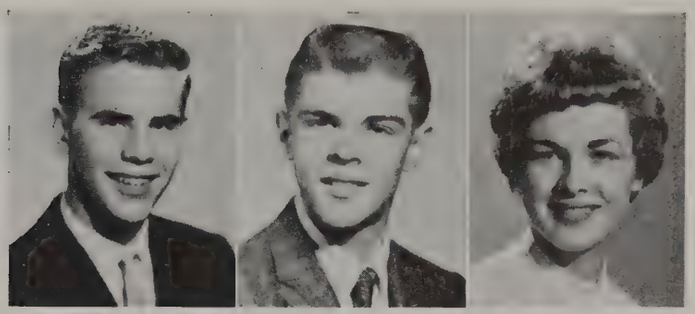
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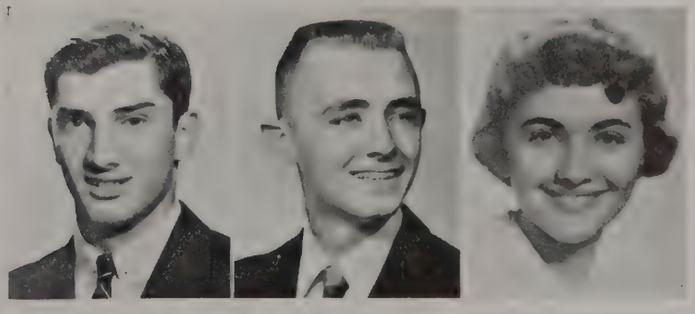
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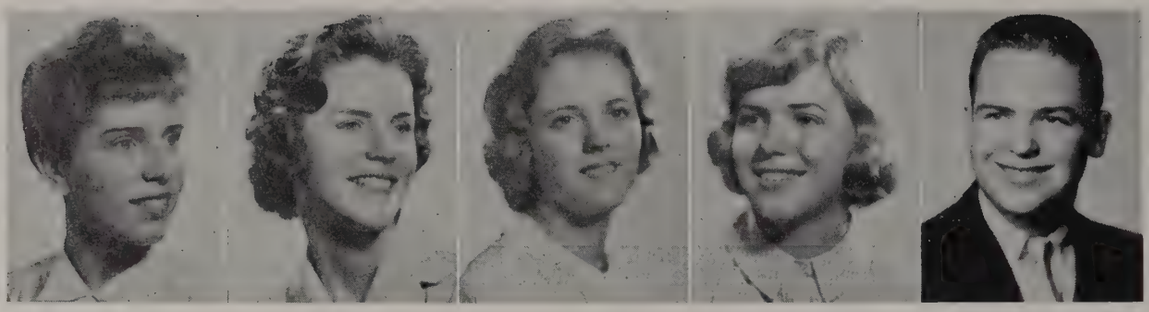
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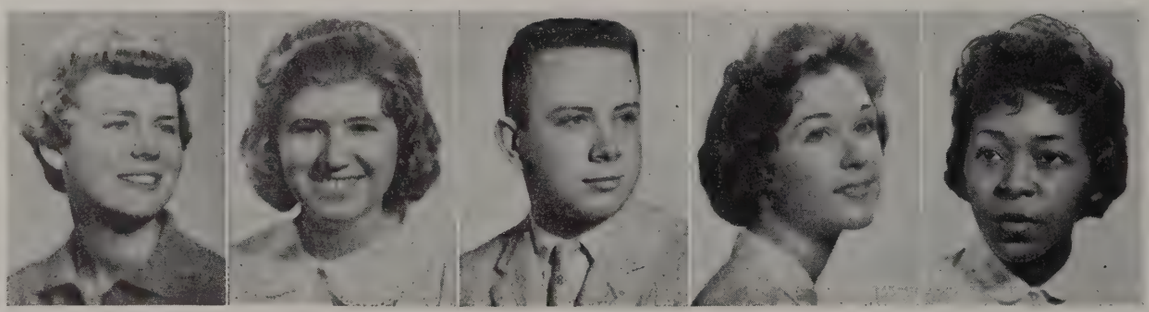
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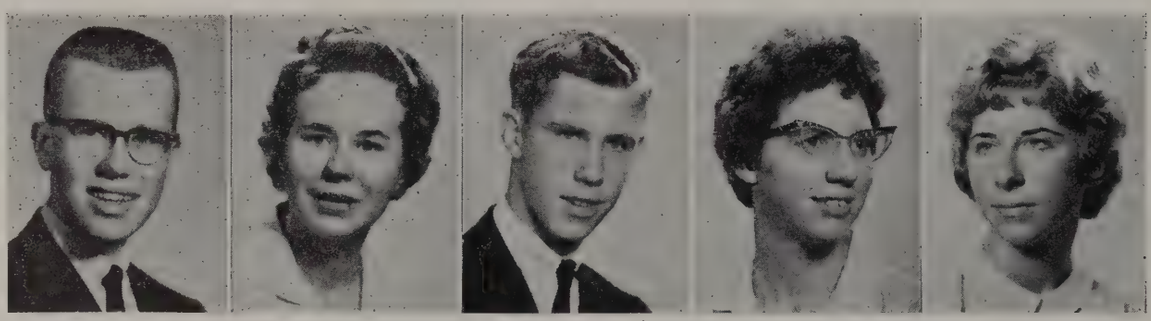
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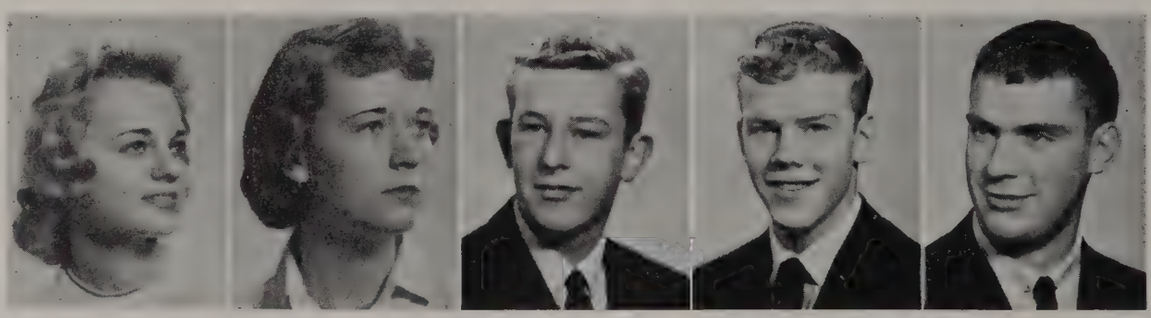
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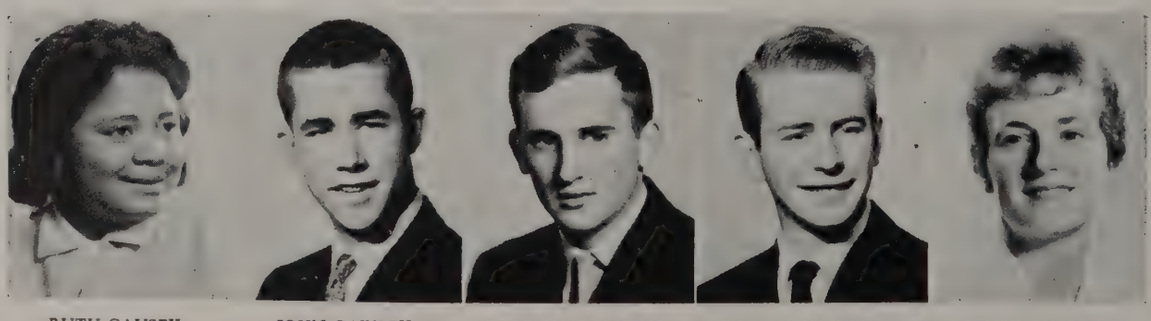
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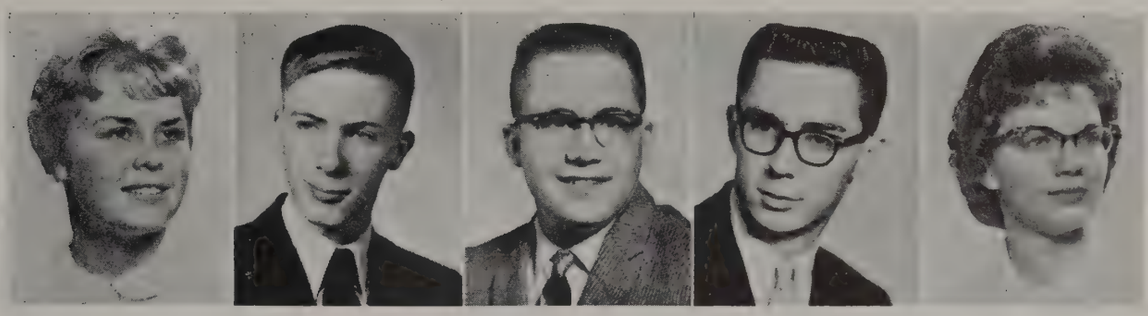
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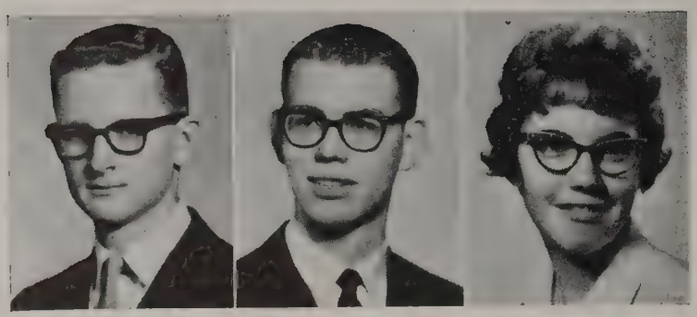


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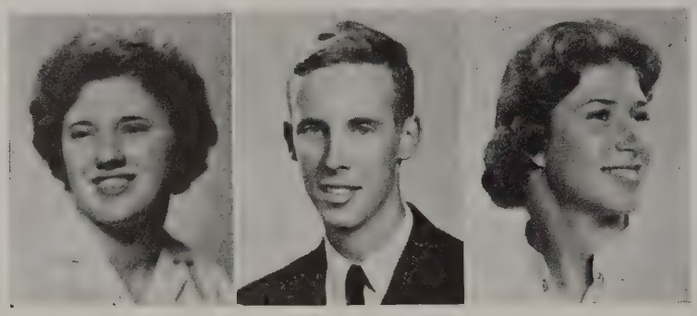


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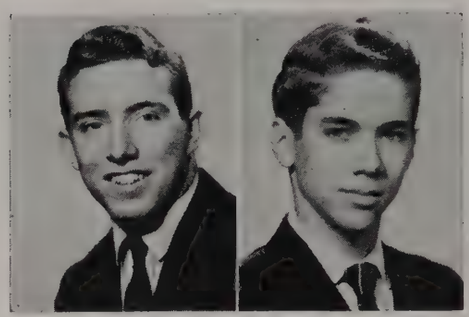
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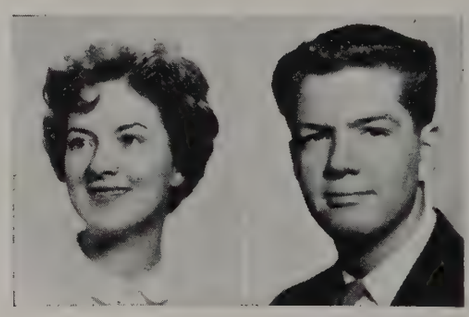
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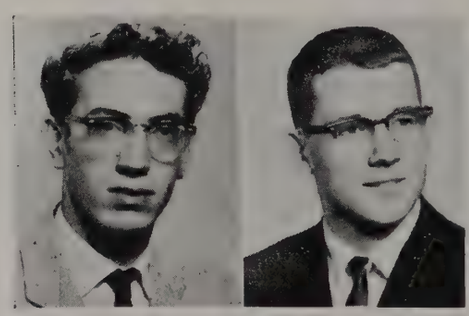
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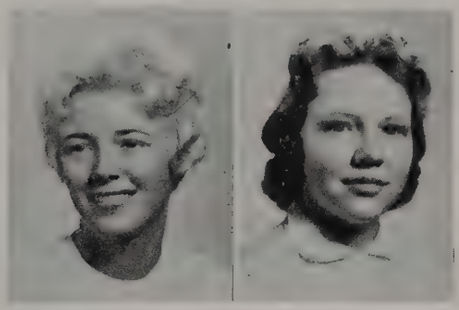


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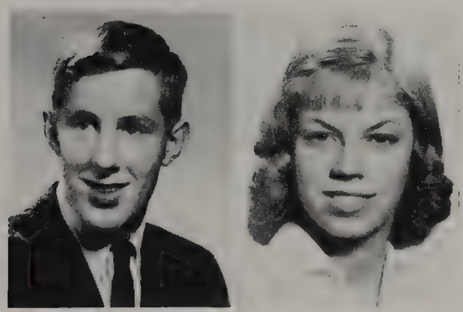


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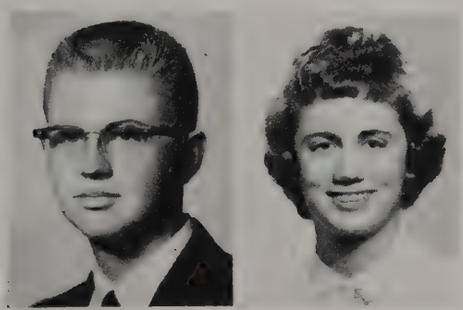
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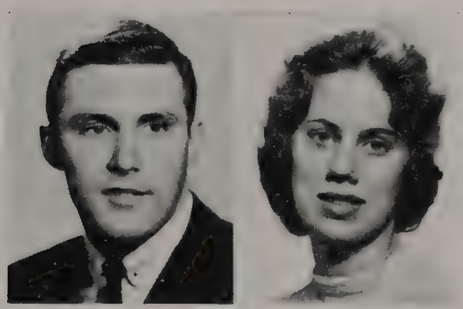
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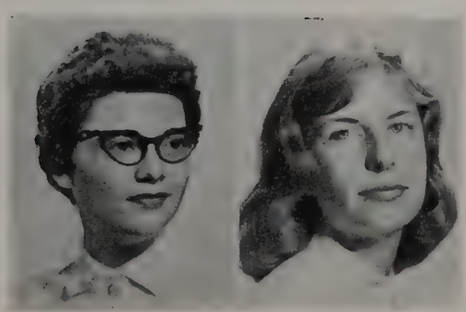
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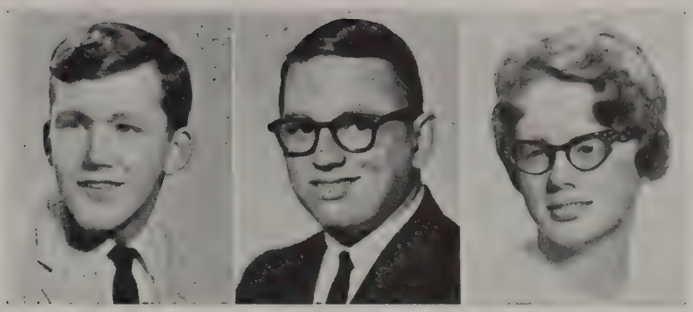
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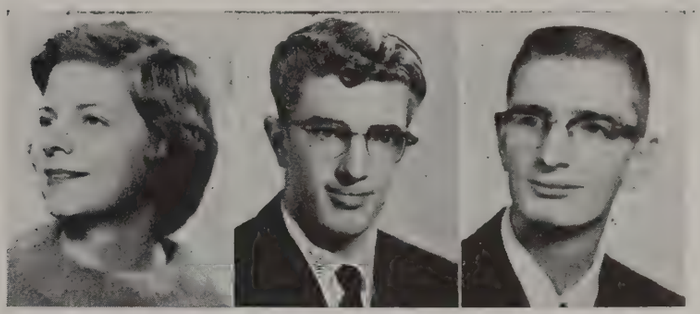
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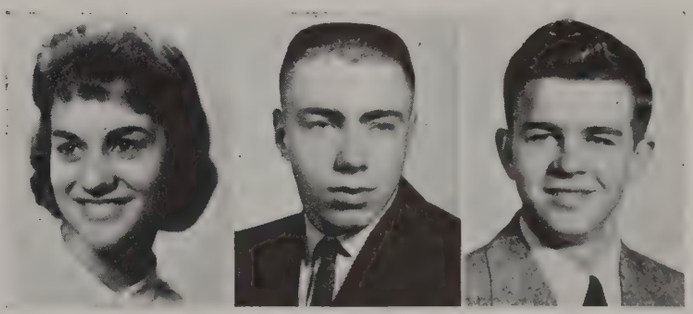
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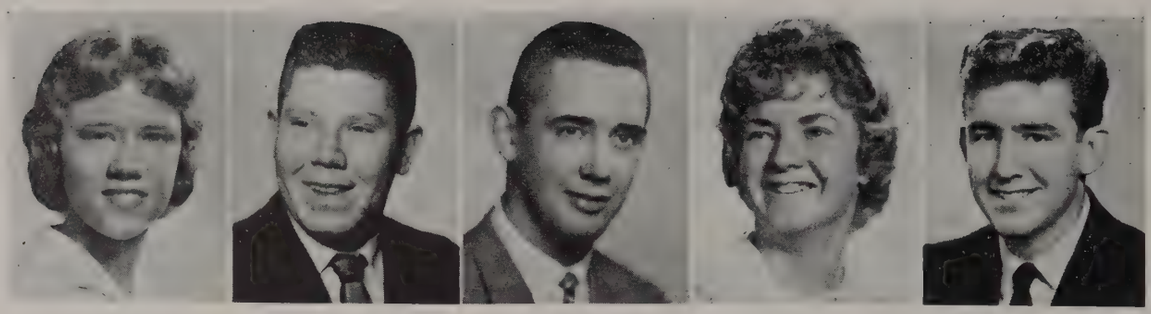
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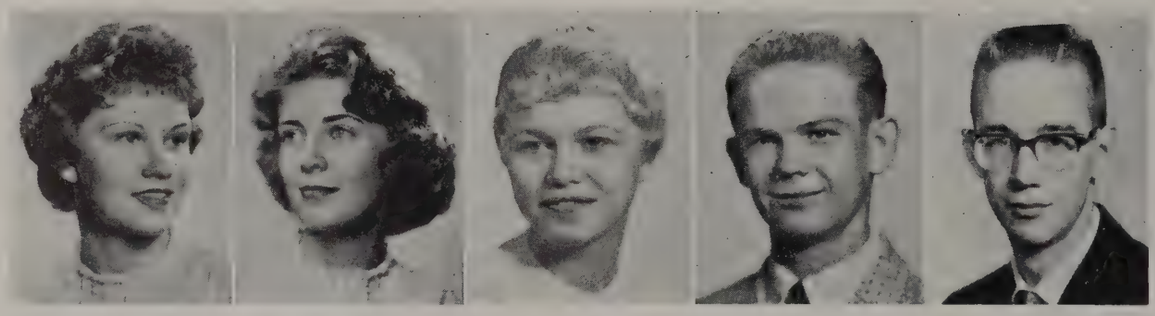
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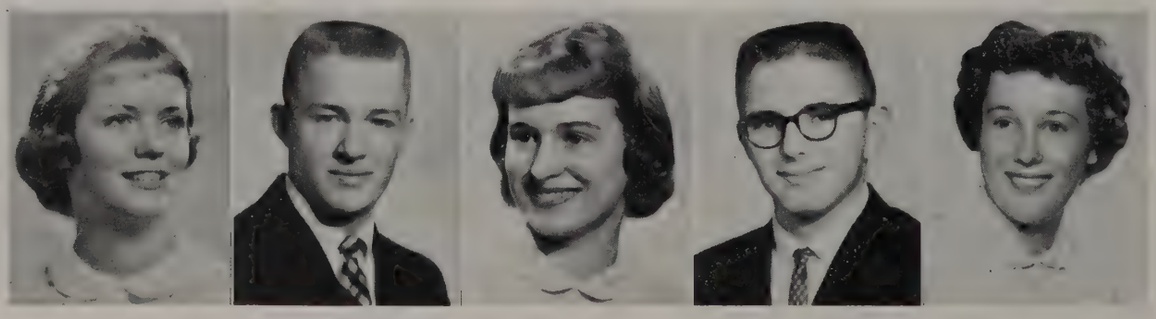
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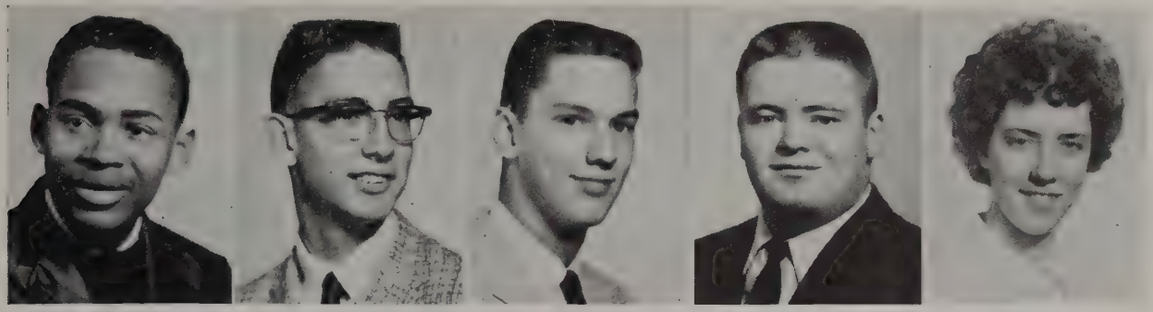
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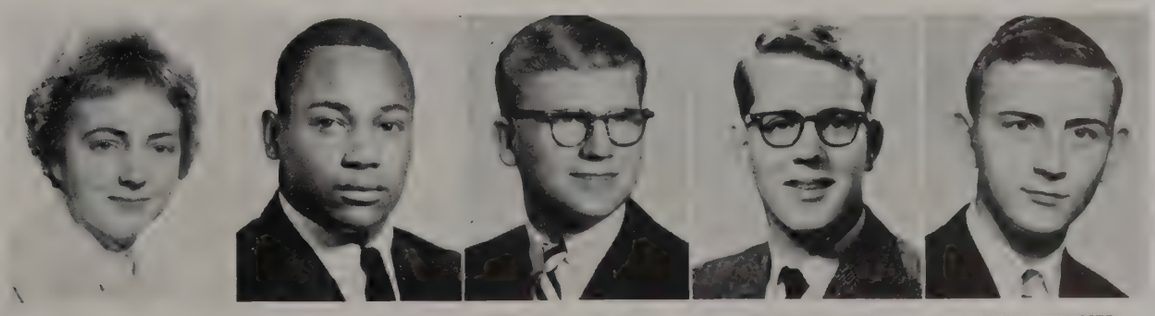
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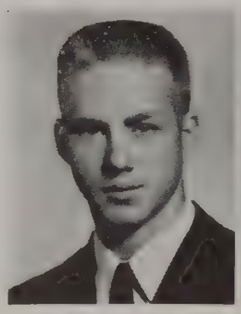
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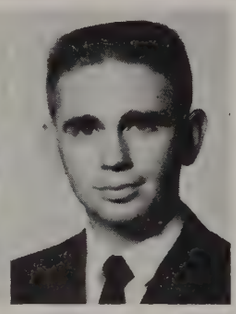
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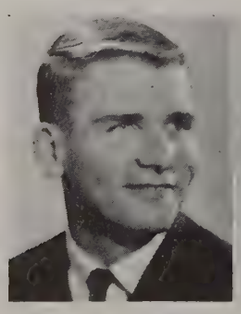
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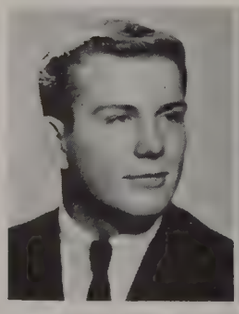
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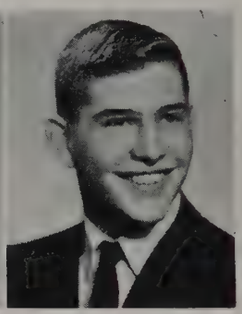
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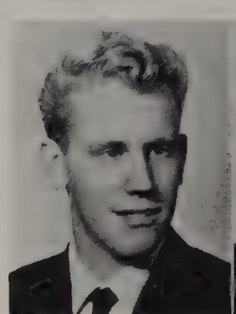
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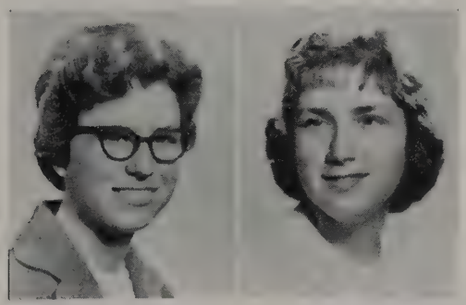
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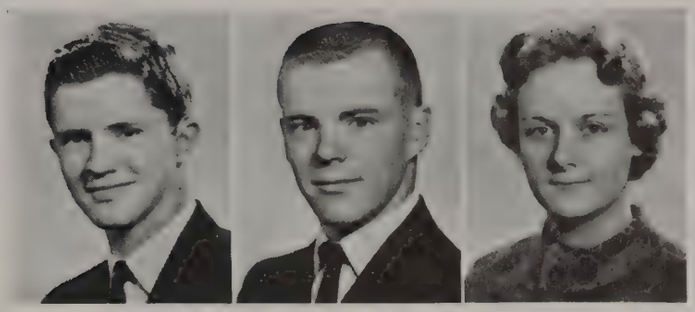
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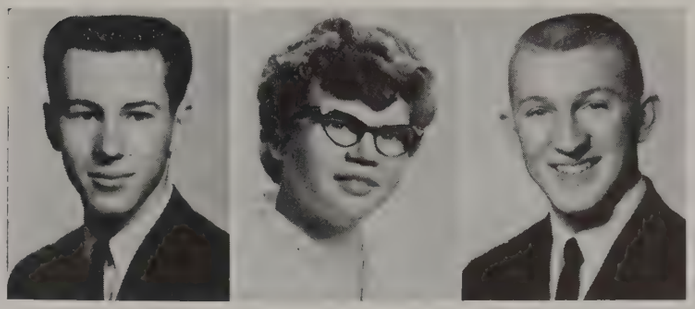
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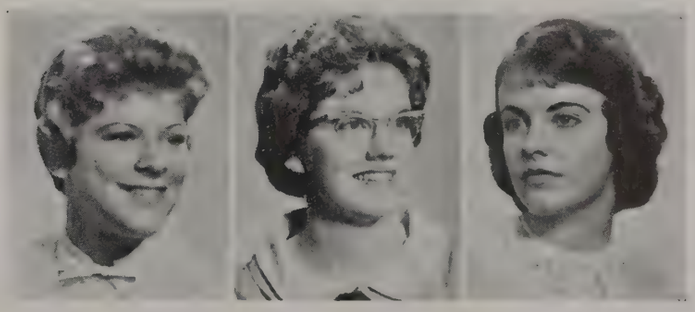
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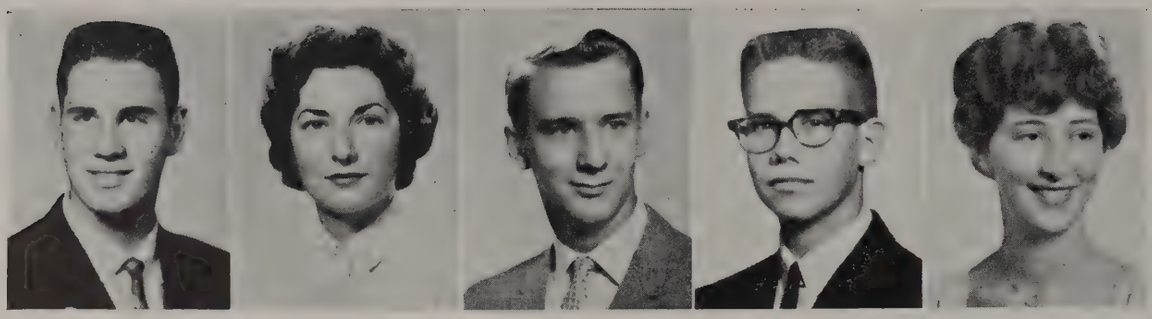
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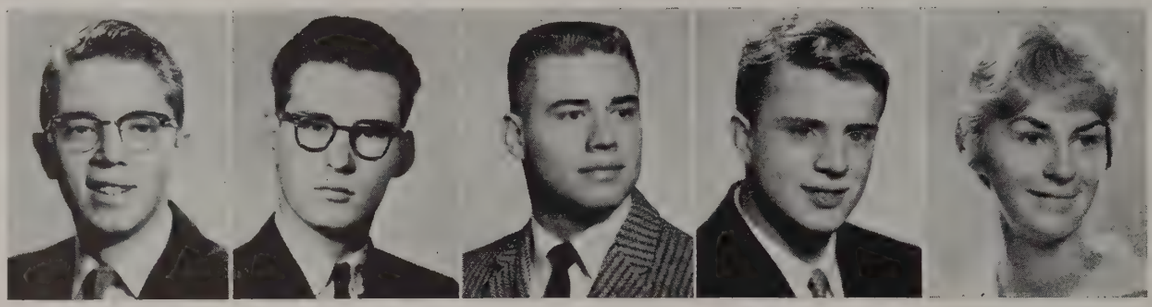
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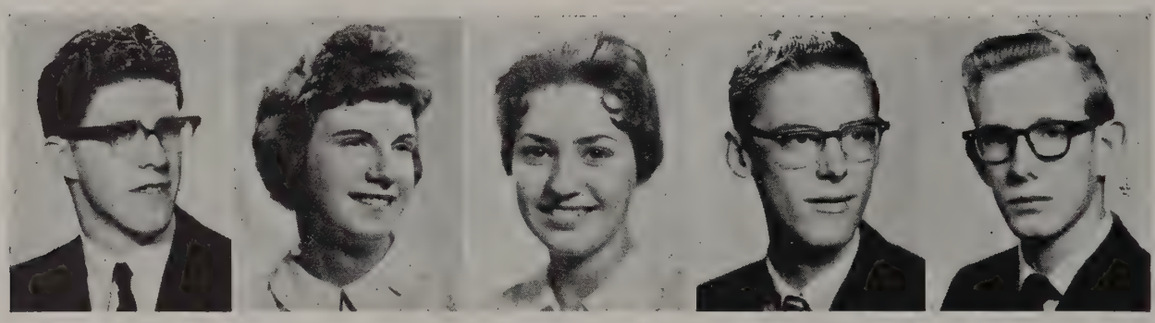
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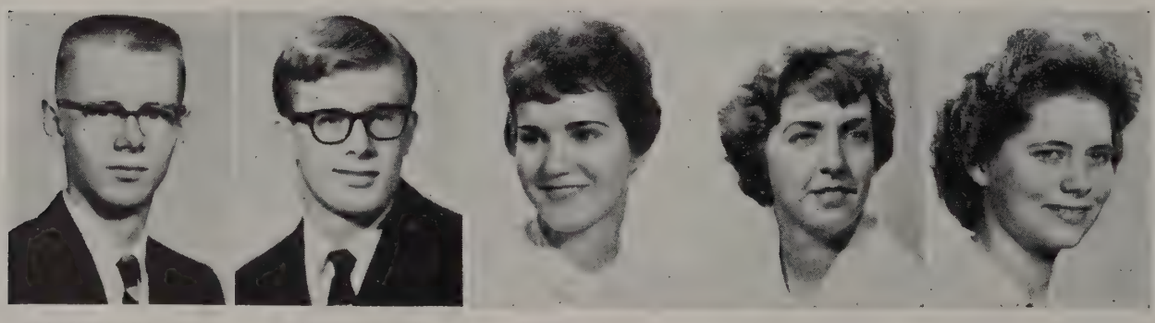
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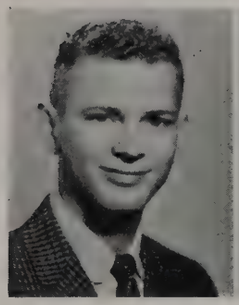
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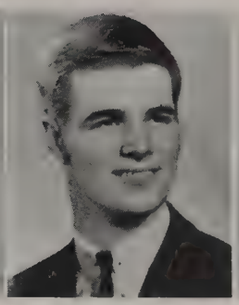
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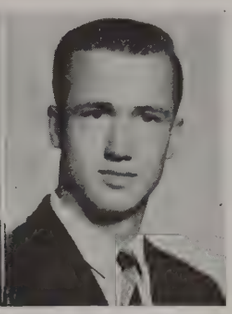
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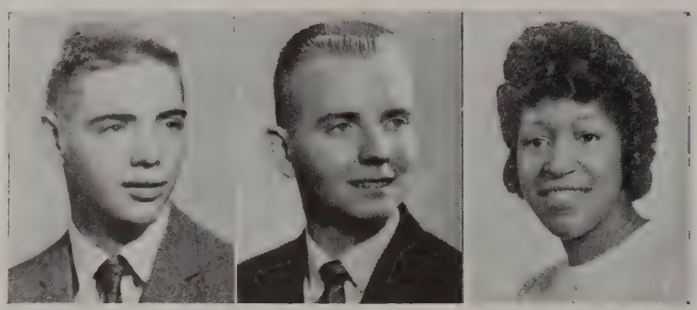


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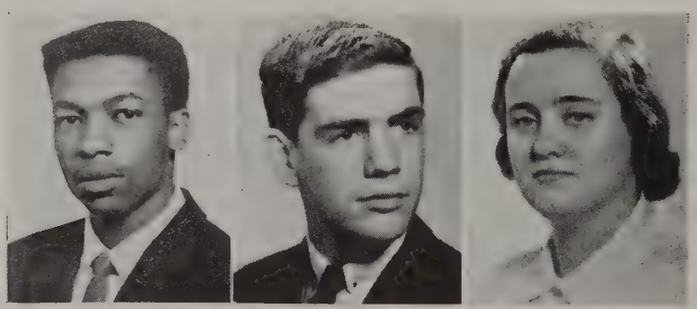
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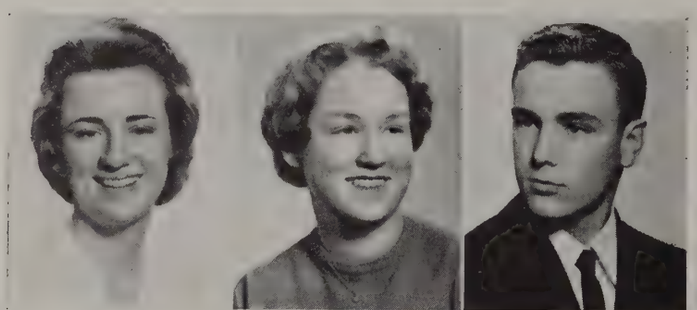
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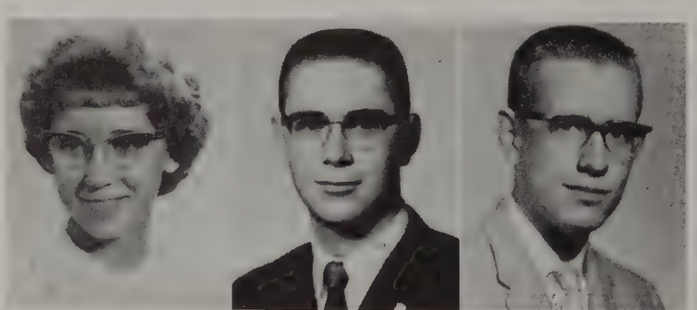
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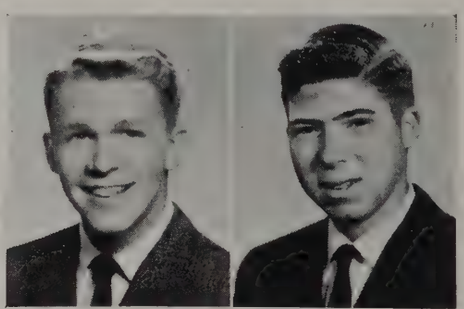
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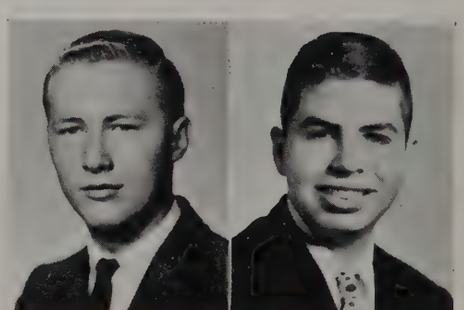
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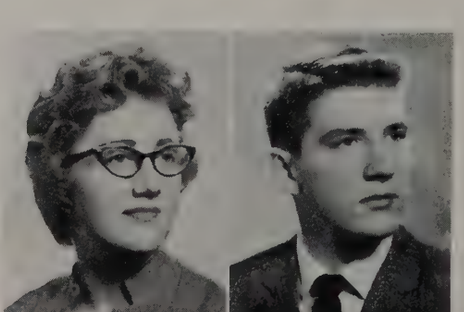
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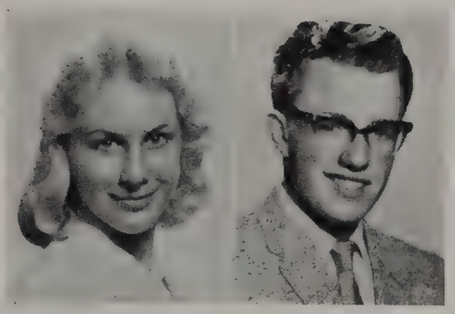


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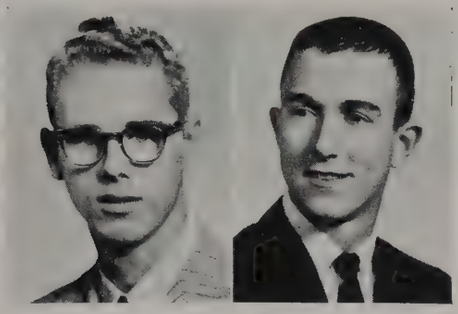


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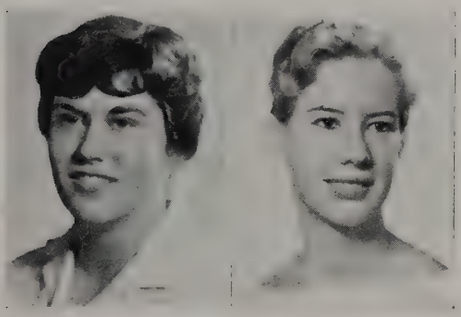
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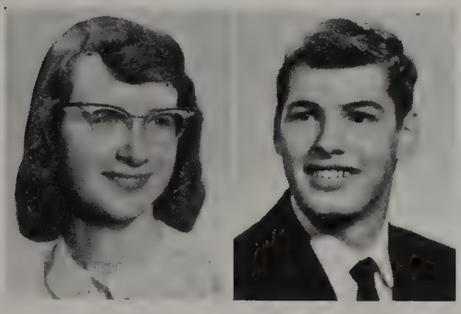
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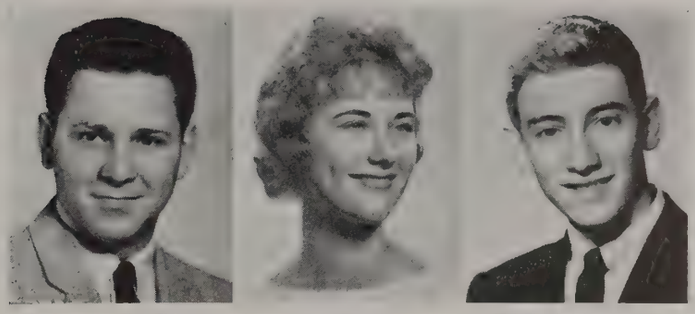
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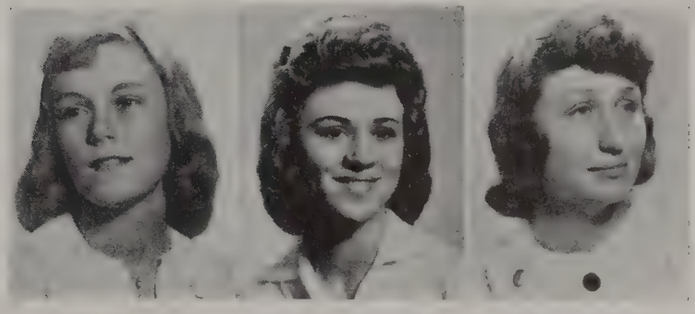
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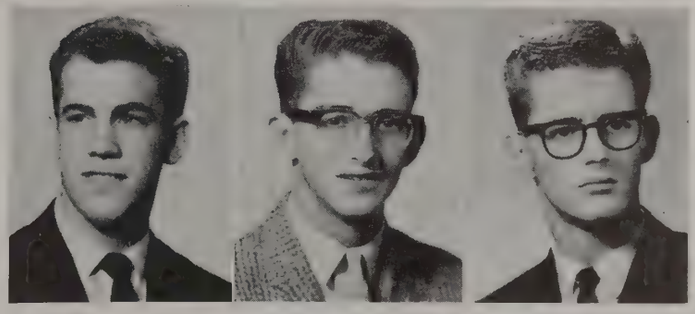
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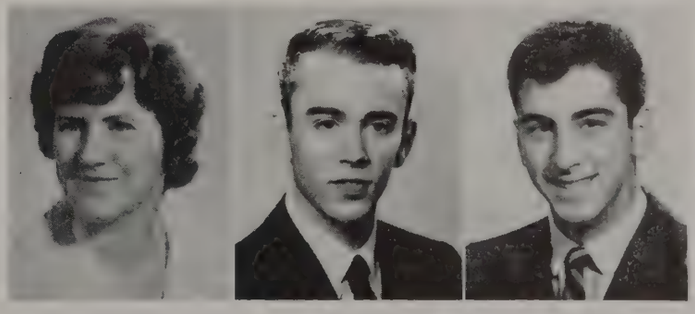
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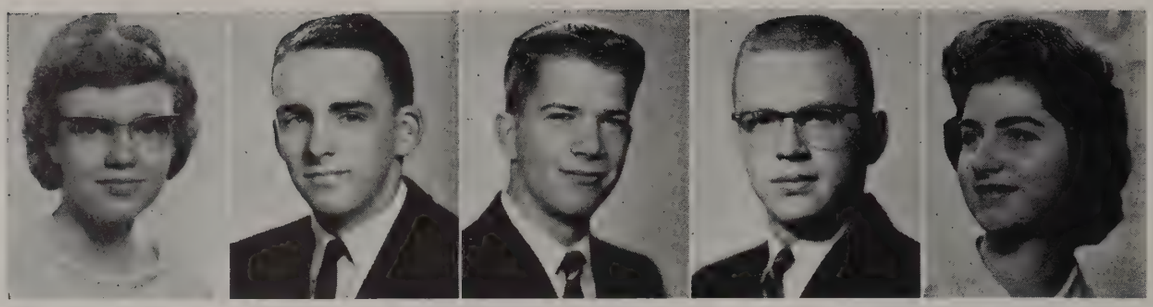
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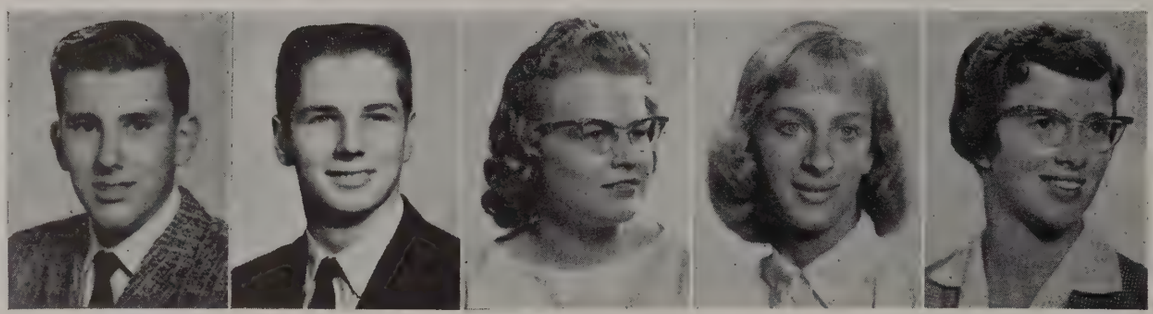
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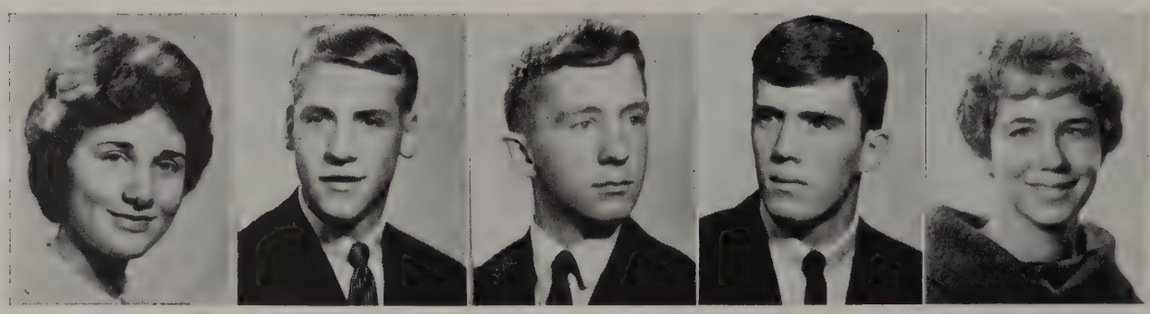
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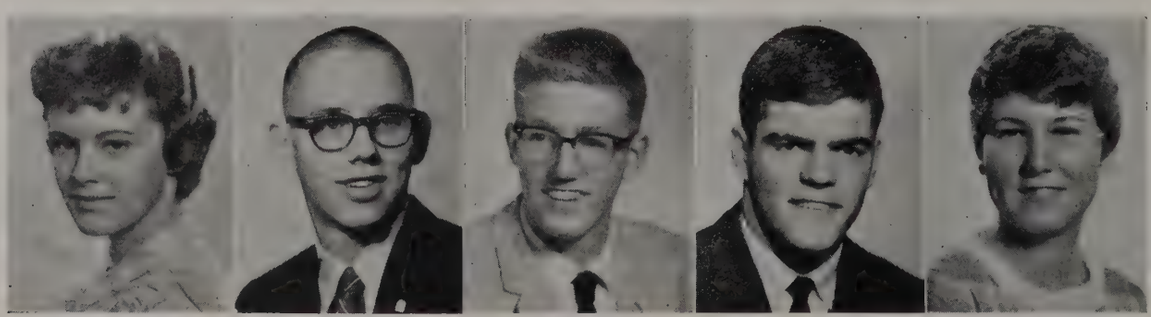
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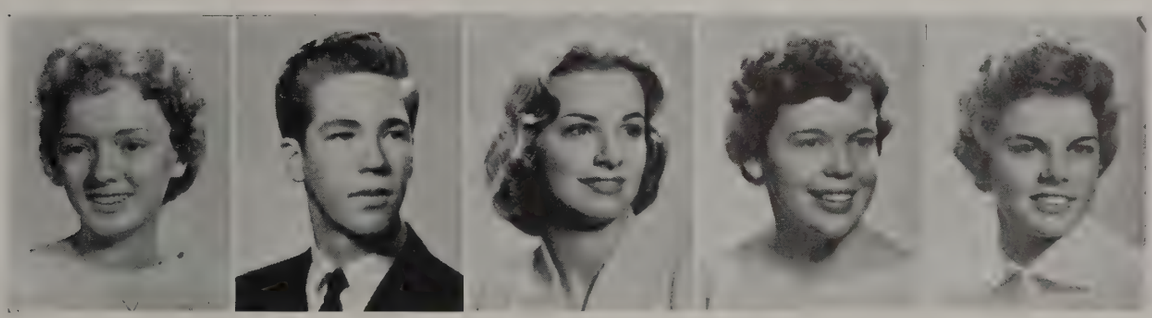
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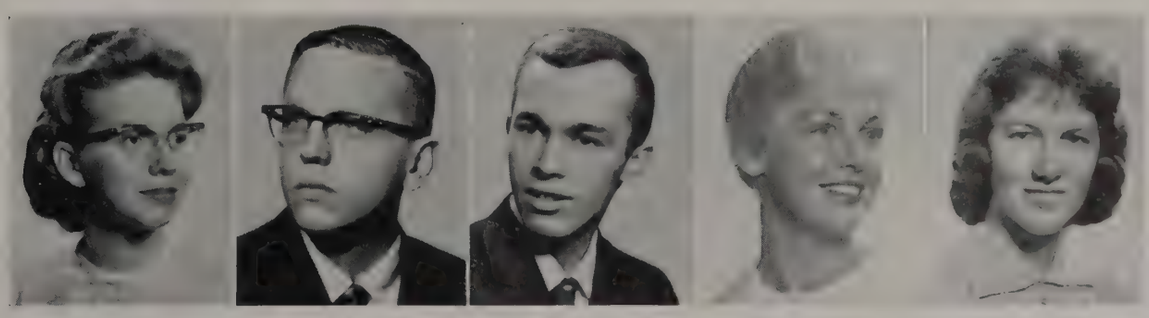
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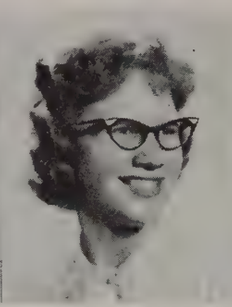
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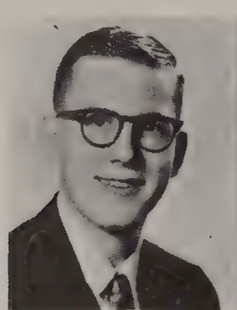
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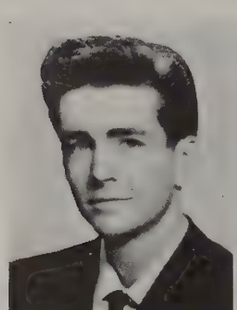
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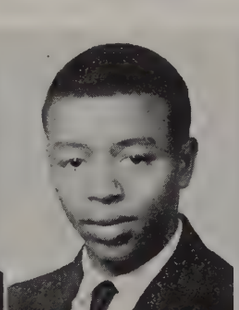
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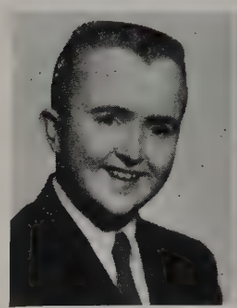
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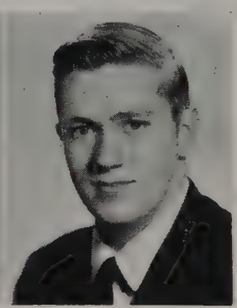
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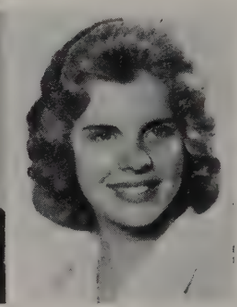
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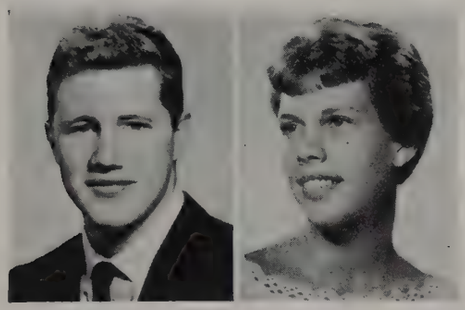


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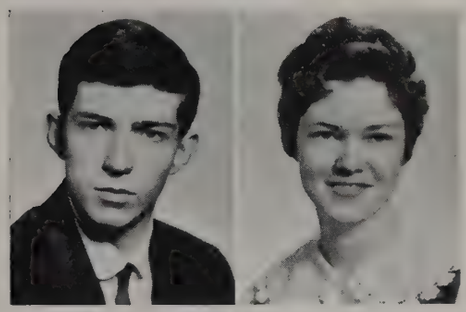


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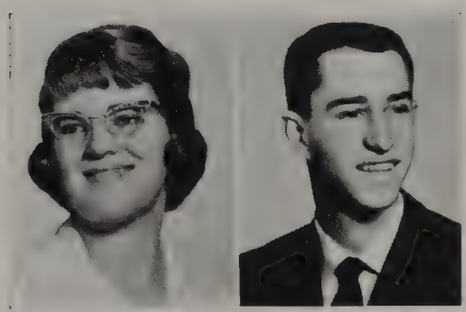
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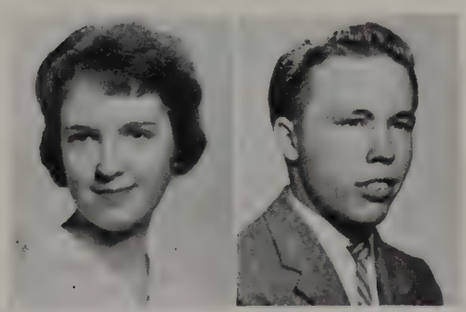
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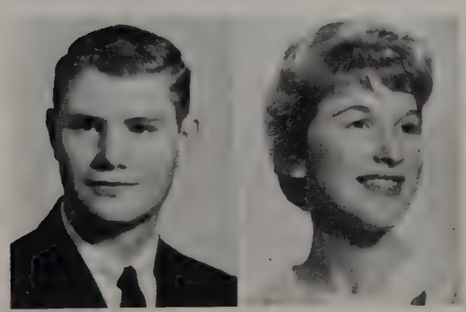
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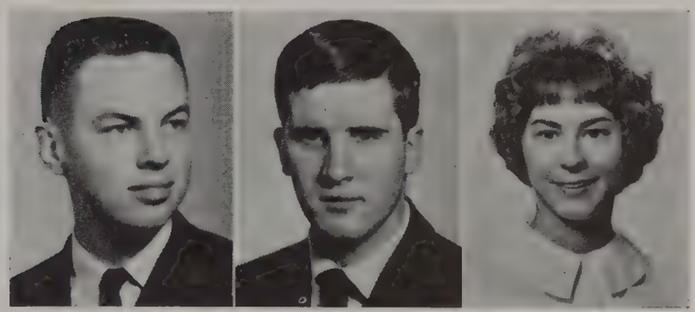
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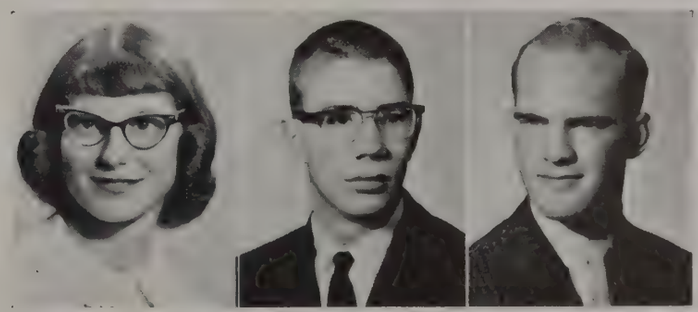
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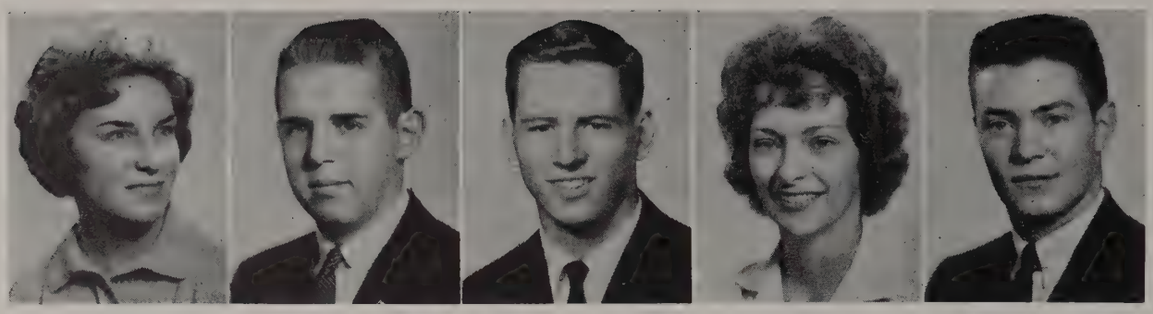
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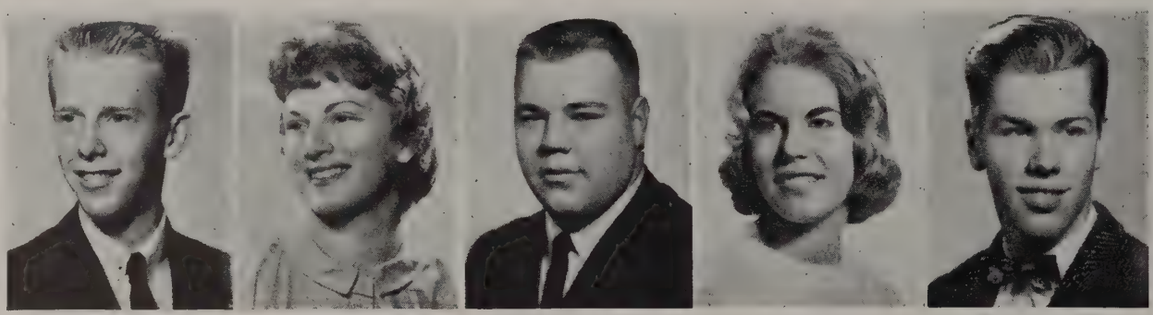
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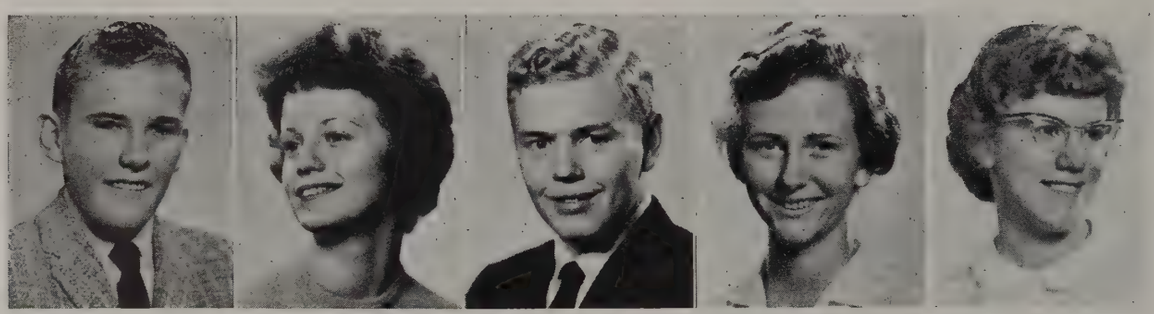
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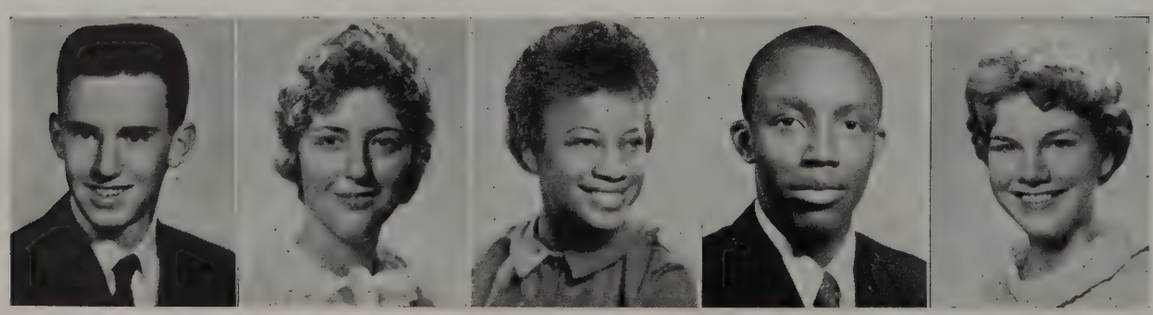
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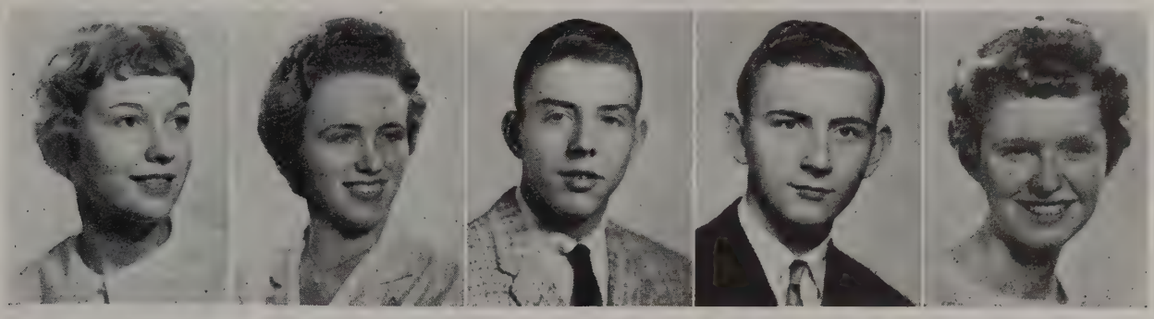
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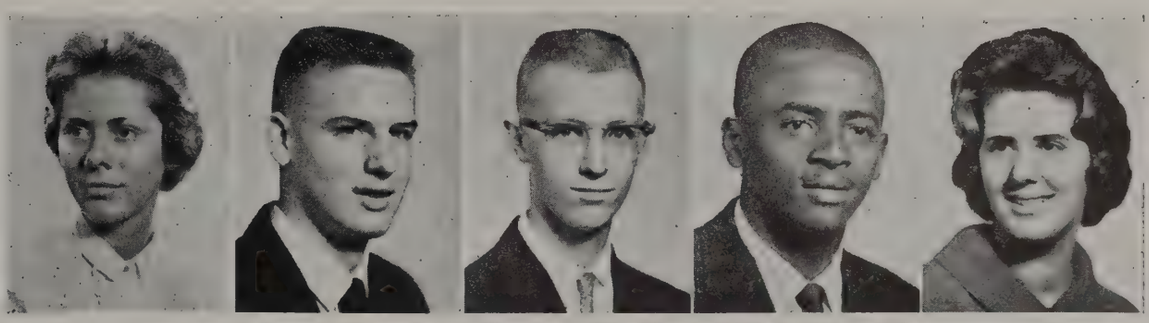
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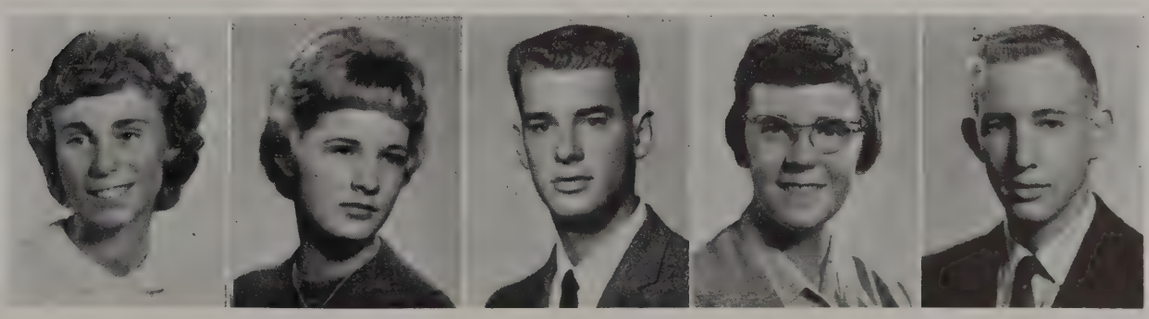
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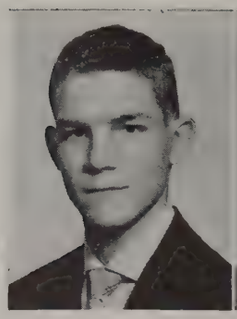
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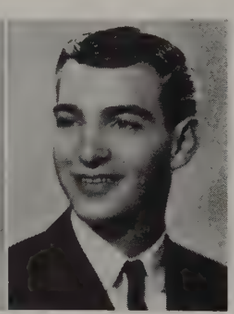

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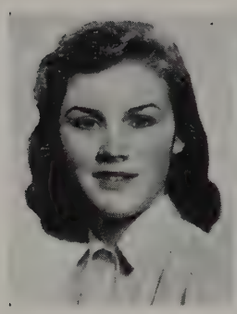

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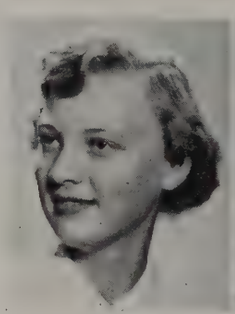

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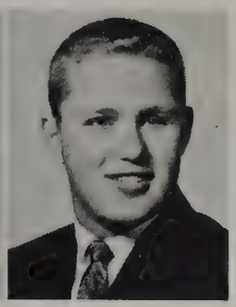

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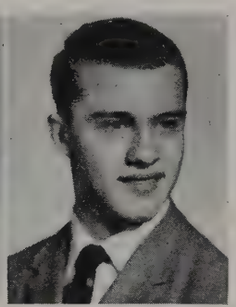

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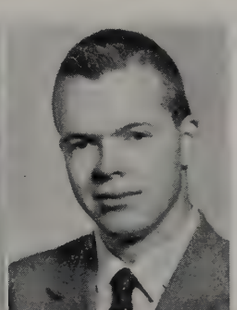

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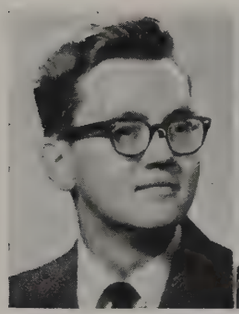

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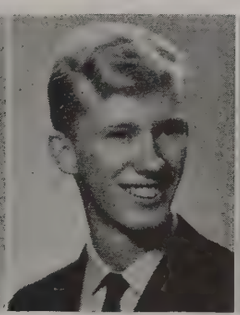

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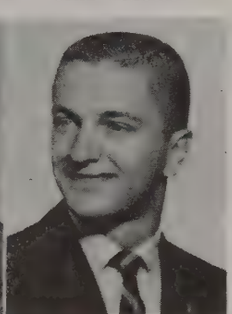

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MARILYN YODER


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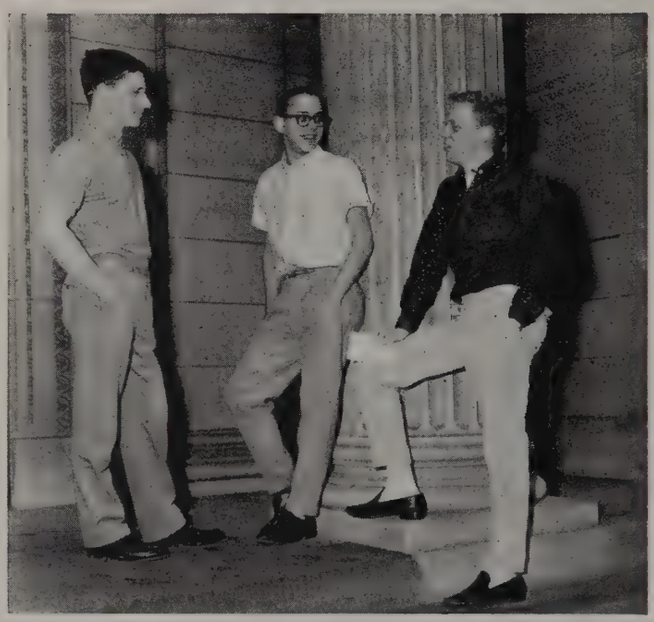
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JAMES RADER
NANCY REED
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SYLVIA WEIMER
SHELBIE WHITEHEAD



Chatting at lunch

Loafing in front of the public library



Class of '62

Studying is important



Trading name cards





Junior officers: Anne Bucklen, Mike Whittaker, Jeannine Larsen, Jim English, Rich Ballard, Steve Bock

Juniors

Success at last! From our first day as Juniors, we felt as though we finally belonged. About 570 of us were no longer searching sophomores; we were able to speak easily to seniors and even able to make friends with most of them.

We looked forward to a year of fun and hard work. To help us plan and direct our activities, we chose our class sponsors, Mr. Stan Rohrer and Mr. Russ Busse.

Our first activity was the Junior Follies, "Tension," which we presented on November 10, 1960. On April 15, 1961, we presented "Lo and Behold," which was produced by Mr. Bussard.

Our next big activity was the long-awaited Junior-Senior Prom which was held on May 20, 1961. The theme was Mardi Gras in May, and the decorations were the traditional New Orleans Mardi Gras colors and scenery.

Finally on May 26, 1961, we held our Junior Class picnic, which was our last junior activity.

Junior sponsors: Mr. Rohrer, Mr. Busse





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Row 1: Abel K., Adlon C., Albaugh D., Allen J., Allen P., Ambrose M., Amburgey R.

Row 2: Anderson B., Anderson M., Anderson P. Andre B., Andrews J. Arbogast C., Arnett J.

Row 3: Artley J., Ash J., Austin J., Baker B., Baker C., Ballard R., Bard B.

Row 4: Barfell D., Baylor P., Beaver L., Beissler J., Bell J., Bell W., Bellows J.

Row 5: Bender J., Bettcher S., Bickel B., Bloom G., Bock S., Bogues J., Bonn A.

Row 6: Bolan B., Bolenbaugh R., Boles J., Booker P., Bocia M., Boss J., Boyer D.

Row 7: Bozzo R., Bradley J., Brawnley A., Brenneman V., Brewer L., Bridges J., Brooks D.

Row 8: Brubaker K., Brown D., Brown., S., Browning J., Bucklen A., Buettner C., Bundy B.

Row 9: Burson S., Bushee N., Callan C., Campagnoli J., Card C., Carpenter C., Carpenter F.

Row 10: Carter W., Causey E., Cawley J., Cherry L., Chester G., Cittadine B., Clark D.



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Row 1: Cleveland J., Cobb W., Conner K., Conner J., Cormican D., Crammer M., Cripe B.

Row 2: Cripe S., Cronk J., Croop M., Dalrymple K., Darling J., Davidson J., Davis W.

Row 3: Davis B., Deck T., Defronze M., Deisenroth G., Denison J., Denman R., Deputy B.

Row 4: Deshone G., Dewees N., Dibbert S., Dickman D., Dinehart M., Doke C., Douglas J.

Row 5: Drexler J., Dygert J., Earl P., Edelman A., Edmond C., Edwards P., Elder G.

Row 6: Edlridge S., Elliott H., Elliott F., Ellsworth C., English J., Escue B., Fackelman.

Row 7: Fair M., Fergison B., Ferro G., Fetter T., Fieldbinder B., Fields E., Fisher J.

Row 8: Fitzsimmons B., Fletchal C., Fletcher R., Forney V., Forry D., Fortier J., Foster C.

Row 9: Freed P., Freeman K., Frieden M., Frink G., Gage D., Ganczak C., Gard T.

Row 10: Gaspelin D., Geiger L., Geil N., Gilbert R., Glace S., Gluck J., Goerlach H.



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Row 1: Golden L., Golightly R., Gornick L., Gravatt J., Green R., Gregory C., Greiner D.

Row 2: Griffen G., Grout K., Growcock S., Guengerich A., Hass S., Hann C., Hansborough F.

Row 3: Hardy J., Hardy L., Harlan S., Harrison B., Harrison L., Harper J., Hart J.

Row 4: Hartman D., Hartman J., Hartman L., Hartman M., Hartman R., Hartman S., Harvey L.

Row 5: Harvey R., Harwood L., Helman P., Hemminger T., Hendrikson D., Higbie J., Hoffman R.

Row 6: Hogendobler T., Howard D., Hooley C., Hoover J., Hopman P., Horn L., Horvath J.

Row 7: Hossler J., Hostetler D., Houston H., Hubbard J., Huff J., Huffman S., Huggins S.

Row 8: Hunsberger S., Iavagnilio V., Inbody L., Ingram D., Irving M., Janzaruk J., Jelk N.

Row 9: Jenks B., Johnson E., Johnson E., Johnson J., Johnson L., Johnson L., Johnson R.

Row 10: Johnson R., Jones D., Jones S., Kalt J., Kantz C., Kauffman G., Keller J.



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Row 1: Keller K., Kelly K., Kennedy M., Kentner K., Kessler D., Klingaman J., Knight M.

Row 2: Kline S., Koehler M., Kollat R., Korey J., Krieder S., Krider J., Kunkel J.

Row 3: Ladow J., Lambdin B., Lanche M., Lantz T., Larson J., Lauby K., Lauer D.

Row 4: Leasor J., Helman D., Lerner L., Lesher J., Lichtenberger D., Lincoln D., Lockwood J.

Row 5: Lucchese R., Loney L., Longacre R., Lovejoy S., Lutes E., Luth P., Lynch G.

Row 6: Mackus S., Mahoney K., Mallcom J., Malitzke C., Mansfield S., Markham J., Martin M.

Row 7: Mast R., Mathis R., Mayer G., Maurer P., McCartney R., McCloskey D., McCloskey D.

Row 8: McDowell D., McMichaels L., Mechling J., Messler S., Meyers J., Meyers T., Monschein G.

Row 9: Myers G., Mininger L., Mills A., Zimmerman B., Miller A., Miller D., Miller E.

Row 10: Miller J., Miller J., Miller P., Miller R., Miller S., Miller T., Middaugh J.



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Row 2: Niece B., Noffsinger S., Nutting J., Oiler R., Olin P., Olinghouse V., Osborn C.

Row 3: Owen K., Owen S., Osborn D., Palmer C., Palmero J., Papa J., Papa J.

Row 4: Parmater F., Parmater T., Parker K., Paston B., Peffley V., Pendill M., Penn J.

Row 5: Peter D., Peters L., Pickel S., Plank J., Pletcher P., Pliskin J., Podawiltz J.

Row 6: Pollock M., Poorbaugh D., Potter L., Powers B., Pownall D., Prasse C., Pritschet G.

Row 7: Prugh W., Quick M., Rader E., Randall J., Reasoner P., Reber L., Rees S.

Row 8: Reid J., Reno B., Replogle T., Richards G., Rider L., Riegel J., Rink S.

Row 9: Robinson J., Rodman E., Rohrer D., Rohrer D., Roose F., Rose D., Rosentreter B.

Row 10: Rouston B., Rowe L., Russell C., Ryger N., Sanders M., Sawyer G., Schneider N.



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Row 2: Sellers D., Sevison L., Shellenberger S., Shanholt S., Shantz T., Shelt B., Sheppard L.

Row 3: Shinabarger P., Signs D., Simpson J., Skiles M., Smeltzer M., Smith C., Smith D.

Row 4: Smith J., Smith M., Smith S., Smith T., Smith T., Snearly J., Snyder J.

Row 5: Sones B., Sotebeer M., Spirto D., Stack M., Staub R., Staub S., Stealy J.

Row 6: Stedry R., Steede L., Stewart S., Stone B., Strauss S., Strom P., Stuckey R.

Row 7: Stuckman L., Stump C., Suircovsay J., Sullivan J., Sutula A., Swartzell J., Swoape R.

Row 8: Swihart G., Swihart N., Taska C., Tatro P., Taylor P., Teal S., Templeton D.

Row 9: Terlep S., Thevenin B., Thomas J., Thorne L., Tiedemann N., Trier J., Tillotson P.

Row 10: Trotter P., Trout P., Troyer K., Turner J., Turso D., Tuttle W., Ulery K.



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Row 1: Umbarger C., Ursery S., Volkert B., Wait N., Wallace M., Walter M., Walters J.

Row 2: Wampler J., Ward A., Ware R., Warlick D., Warlick L., Warren L., Washburn M.

Row 3: Weaver F., Weaver L., Webb C., Webster M., Weldy L., Wells S., Wenger J.

Row 4: Went B., West D., Westlake J., Whittaker M., Wiley P., Wilkey K., Williams C.

Row 5: Williams S., Willis J., Wilson J., Windsor L., Wise M., Wise W., Wiseman L.

Row 6: Wogoman M., Wolfinger A., Wollam S., Wollenhavet L., Woodard J., Woodard M., Wright C.

Row 7: Wright H., Yoder L., Yoder M., Yohn R., Young N., Zavatsky L., Zience T.



Sophomore officers: Fred Brandt, president; Bob Myers, vice-president; Margaret Masse, treasurer; Sherry Papa, secretary; Bonnie Pritchet, girls' social chairman; Alan Middleton, boys' social chairman.

Class of '63

Sophomore sponsors: Miss Archibald and Miss Pray.



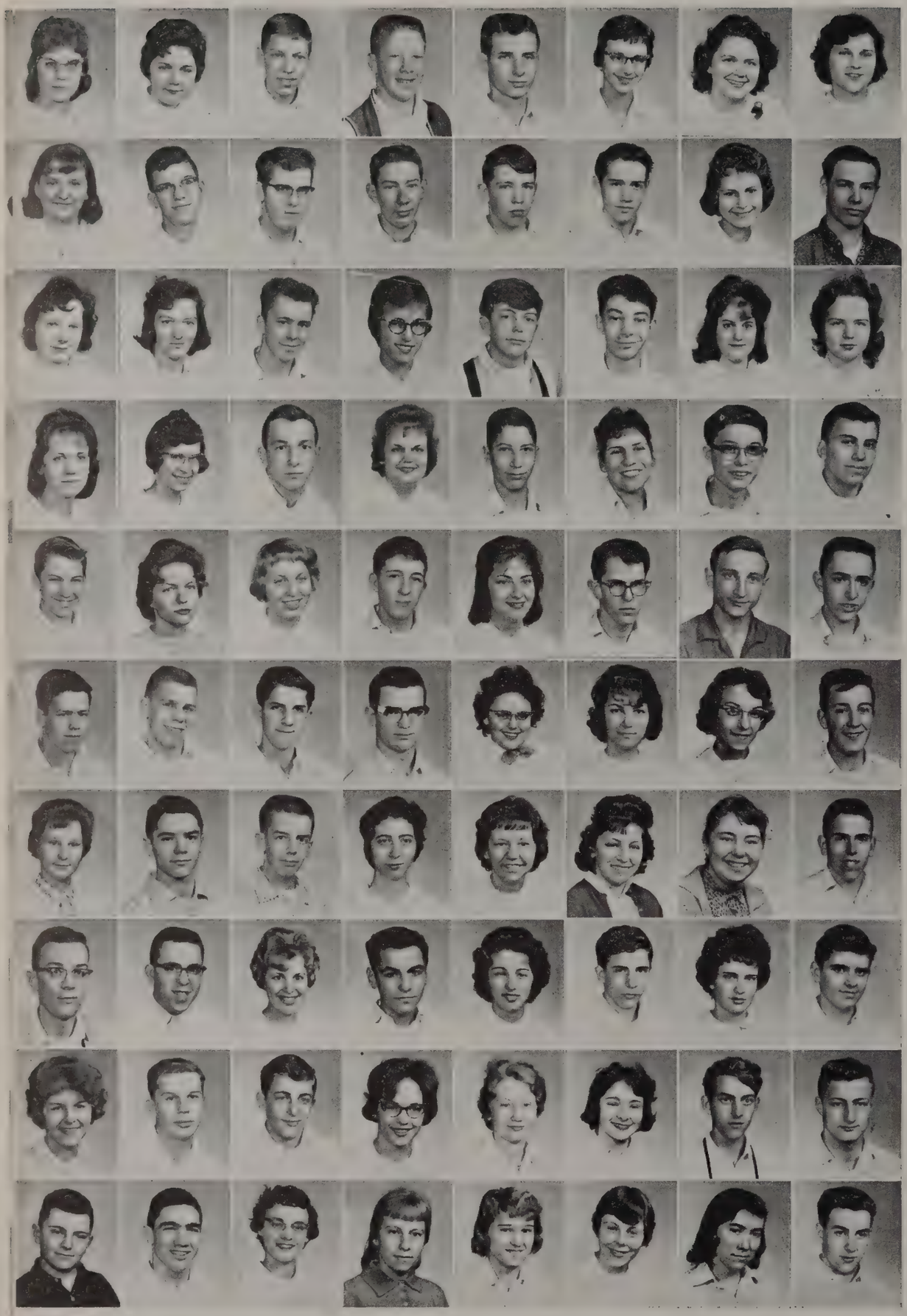
Well, we finally made it! This was the general feeling among nearly 700 sophomores when we entered EHS last September. High school had been a goal for most of us and now we were really striving to make our first year a success.

Getting acquainted with EHS people and customs was hard for confused, nervous, wanting-to-belong sophs, but Boys and Girls League activities made us feel welcome. We girls had our Girls League "big sisters" who helped us get oriented into activities; we boys also joined athletics, music, publications and clubs in our efforts to belong.

To unite us into one class instead of just groups from three junior highs, we elected officers and sponsors. The leaders we chose were Fred Brandt, president; Bob Myers, vice-president; Sherry Papa, secretary; Margaret Masse, treasurer; Bonnie Pritchet, girls' social chairman; Alan Middleton, boys' social chairman. Our class sponsors were Miss Archibald and Miss Pray.

We participated in homeroom panels, assemblies, games, and our first formal dances, but our first exclusively sophomore activity was the sophomore class picnic on May 25, at McNaughton Park.

As our sophomore year ended, we looked forward to being upperclassmen and having our own Junior Follies and class plays.



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Row 1: Alderson B., Alexander R., Alford J., Alt L., Amos T., Anderson V., Andrews L. Anglemyer D.

Row 2: Anglemyer M., Anglin R., Applewhite T., Artley R., Ash K., Atkinson D., Aunins E., Axsom D.

Row 3: Babcock M., Baker S., Ball D., Balyeat D., Balyeat T., Barbaro L., Barkman M., Barnard C.

Row 4: Barnes V., Barton B., Banet R., Baskerville S., Batti J., Bean P., Beatty D., Becker B.

Row 5: Beckett D., Beeby S., Beerer M., Beery K., Bender S., Benninghoff J., Bercach N., Berkey D.

Row 6: Best D., Billings T., Bleiler D., Blessing D., Bliss J., Blodgett S., Bollero N., Bontrager C.

Row 7: Bontrager J., Bontrager J., Bowers D., Bowers J., Boyland J., Boylen D., Braddock S., Brandt F.

Row 8: Bremer D., Brewer W., Brodhead S., Brown G., Brown R., Bruggner S., Buckley B., Buckley D.

Row 9: Buckwalter J., Bundy D., Bundy M., Burks L., Burns B., Burns M., Bussard B., Butler B.

Row 10: Byron T., Campagnoli S., Campbell C., Campbell M., Carter J., Casey P., Casselman C., Cauffman D.



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Row 1: Chaffee B., Chamberlain S., Checkley K., Chester B., Chester J., Christeon B., Christy D., Chupp M.

Row 2: Cittadine R., Clark J., Clark R., Clarkson T., Cocks J., Cohen J., Collard A., Compton J.

Row 3: Conant J., Cooper C., Cooper C., Couch M., Cowles K., Cox B., Cox M., Cremieux M.

Row 4: Crowinger M., Croxall M., Culver S., Cunningham J., Curry V., Dandino M., Daub W., Davis D.

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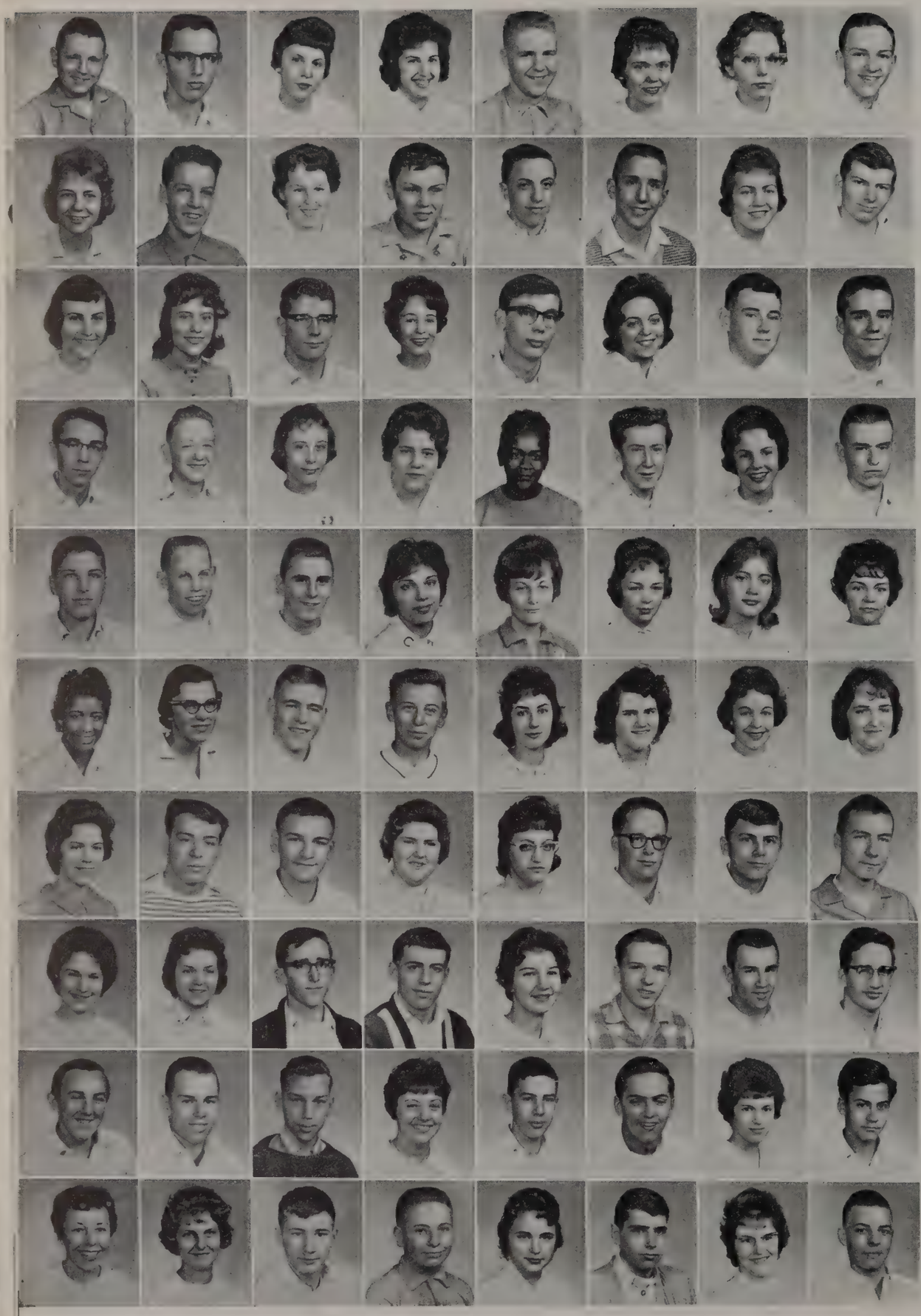
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Row 8: Ehret M., Elias P., Elliot P., Elliott D., Elsasser N., Emerick J., Enfield M., Engelhardt K.,

Row 9: Erne D., Ernest N., Wiseman D., Evans D., Fair A., Fergison E., Fields J., Fischer S.

Row 10: Fisher J., Fisher J., Fisher M., Fisher S., Fleming C., Fleming J., Flory J., Flynn S.



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Row 1: Foltz T., Fonner D., Forbes M., Forsythe L., Fox D., Freed D., Freed J., Freed J.

Row 2: Freed S., Freeder T., Friar B., Frink M., Frye T., Fuller B., Galasso N., Gardner M.

Row 3: Gibson B., Gibson J., Gilbert S., Glass L., Glore K., Goetz G., Gouker B., Golden G.

Row 4: Gorce T., Gould H., Grames J., Gran S., Gray G., Gregg D., Yoder D., Grillo R.

Row 5: Growcock B., Gygi R., Haas D., Haas P., Hahn P., Haines C., Hall R., Hann J.

Row 6: Hansborough L., Hardwick P., Hardy M., Harlan S., Harper H., Harris J., Harris S., Hartman J.

Row 7: Harvey M., Hatfield J., Havrilenko G., Young S., Hayden L., Heeter G., Heintz M., Helfrick D.

Row 8: Helm M., Henley B., Hibschman A., Hileman B., Hipskind K., Hite L., Hobson E., Holdeman D.

Row 9: Holley D., Hollingsworth K., Holmes D., Holston D., Holmes D., Horn R., Horvath H., Horvath M.

Row 10: Hostetler S., Howland B., Huffman B., Hull D., Hummel S., Hussey K., Huster P., Huster R.



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Row 2: Joseph J., Joseph J., Kalynyez P., Kantz H., Kantz J., Karasch J., Kaser D., Kazmierzak J.

Row 3: Keating J., Keener H., Kelver S., Kimble, C., Kimble L. Kery R., Kesim V., Kidder D.

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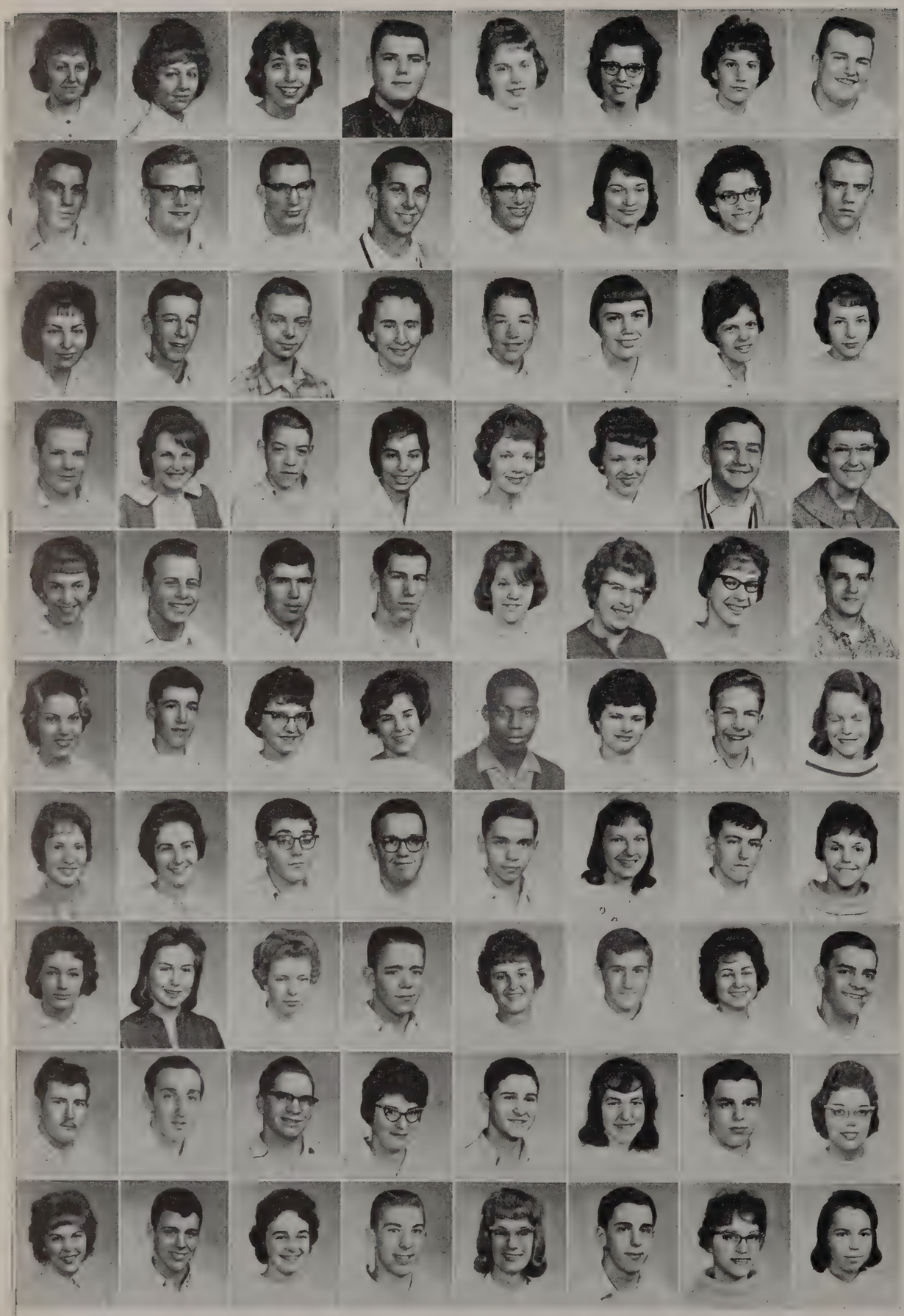
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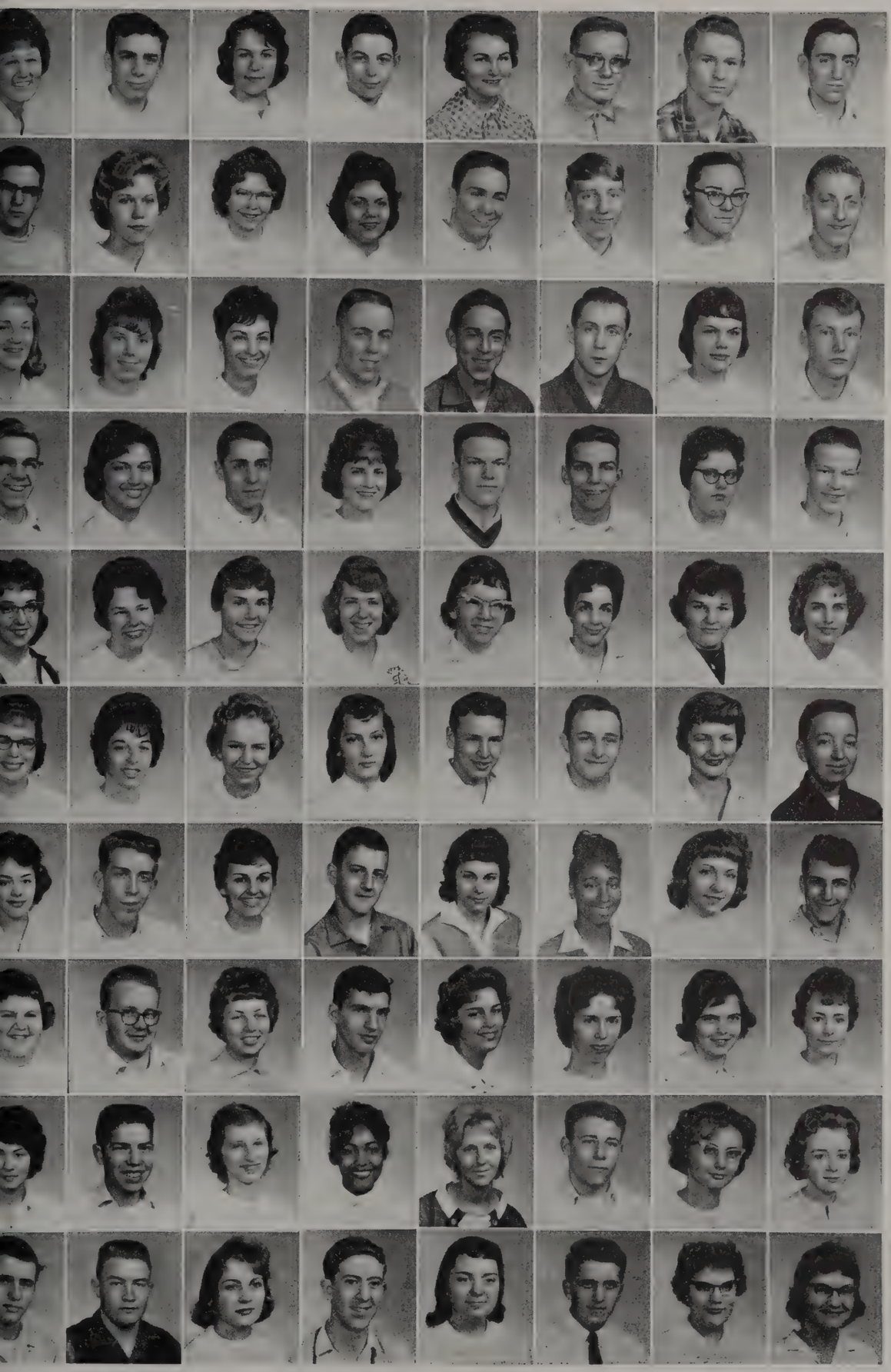
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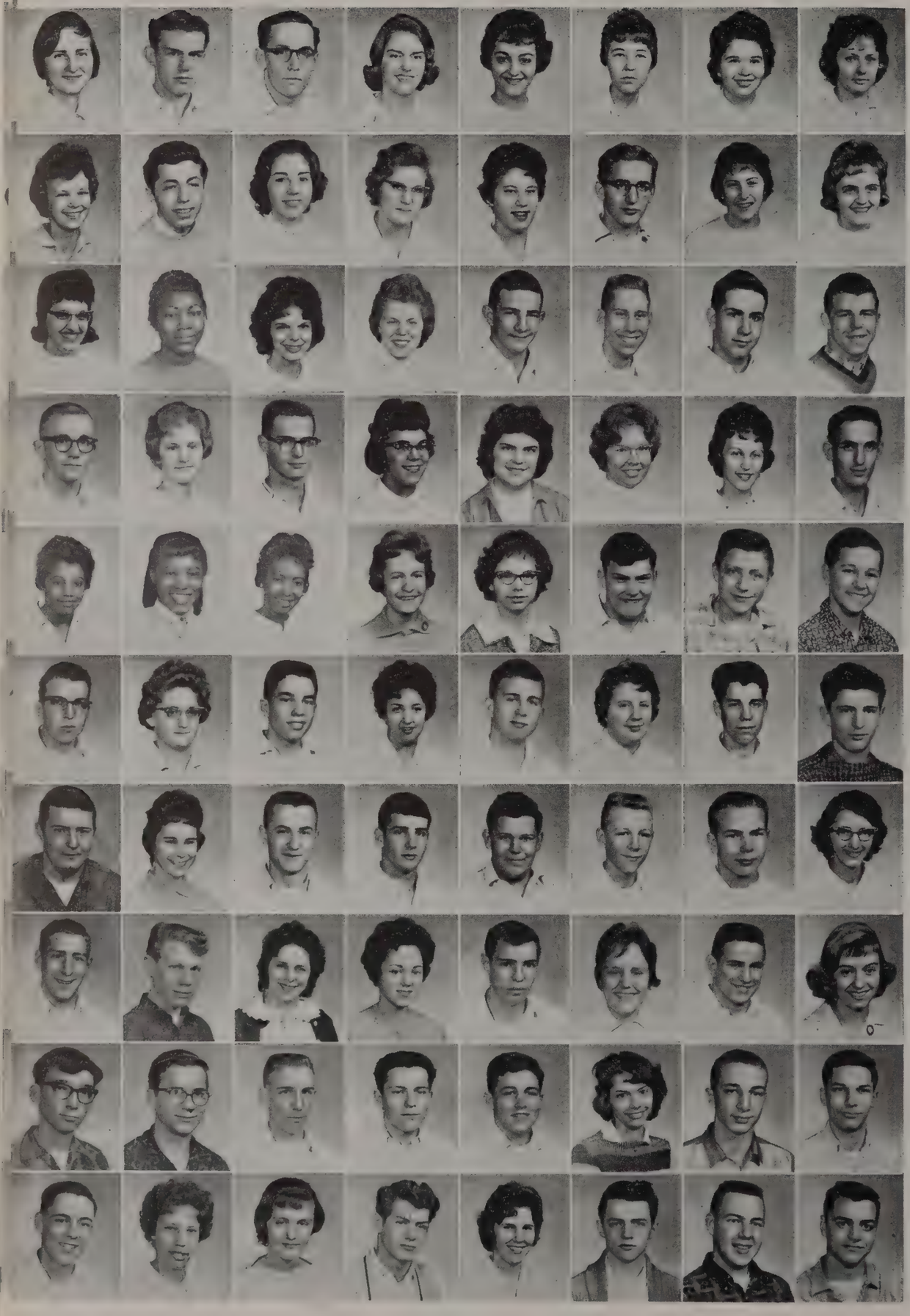
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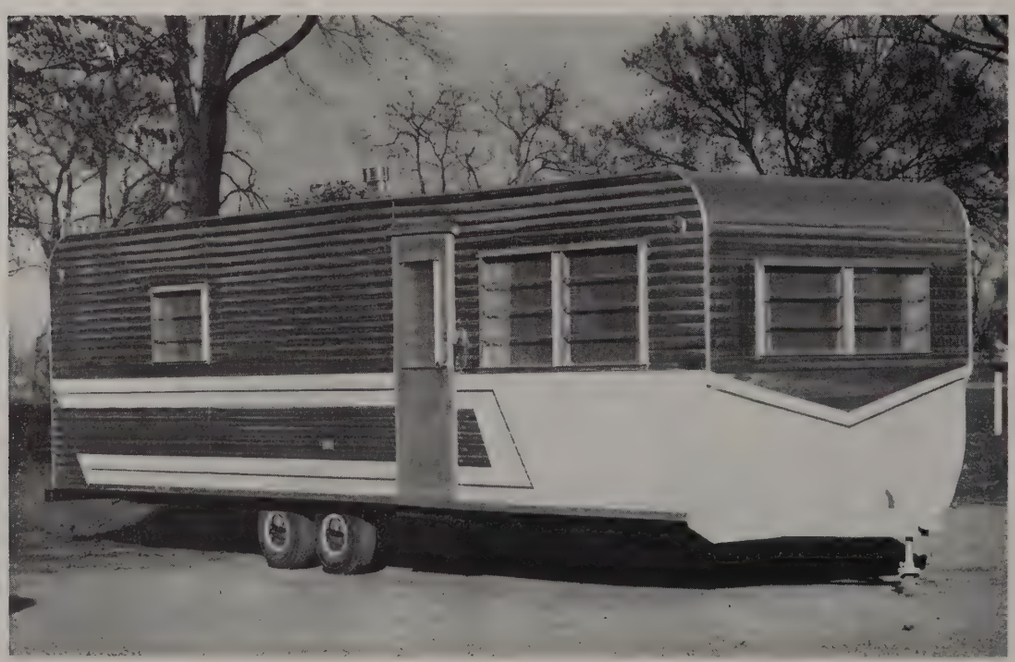
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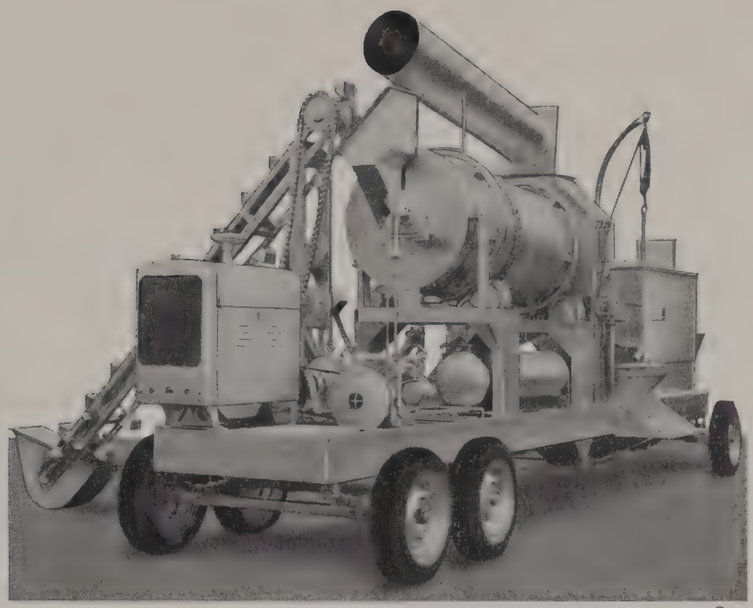
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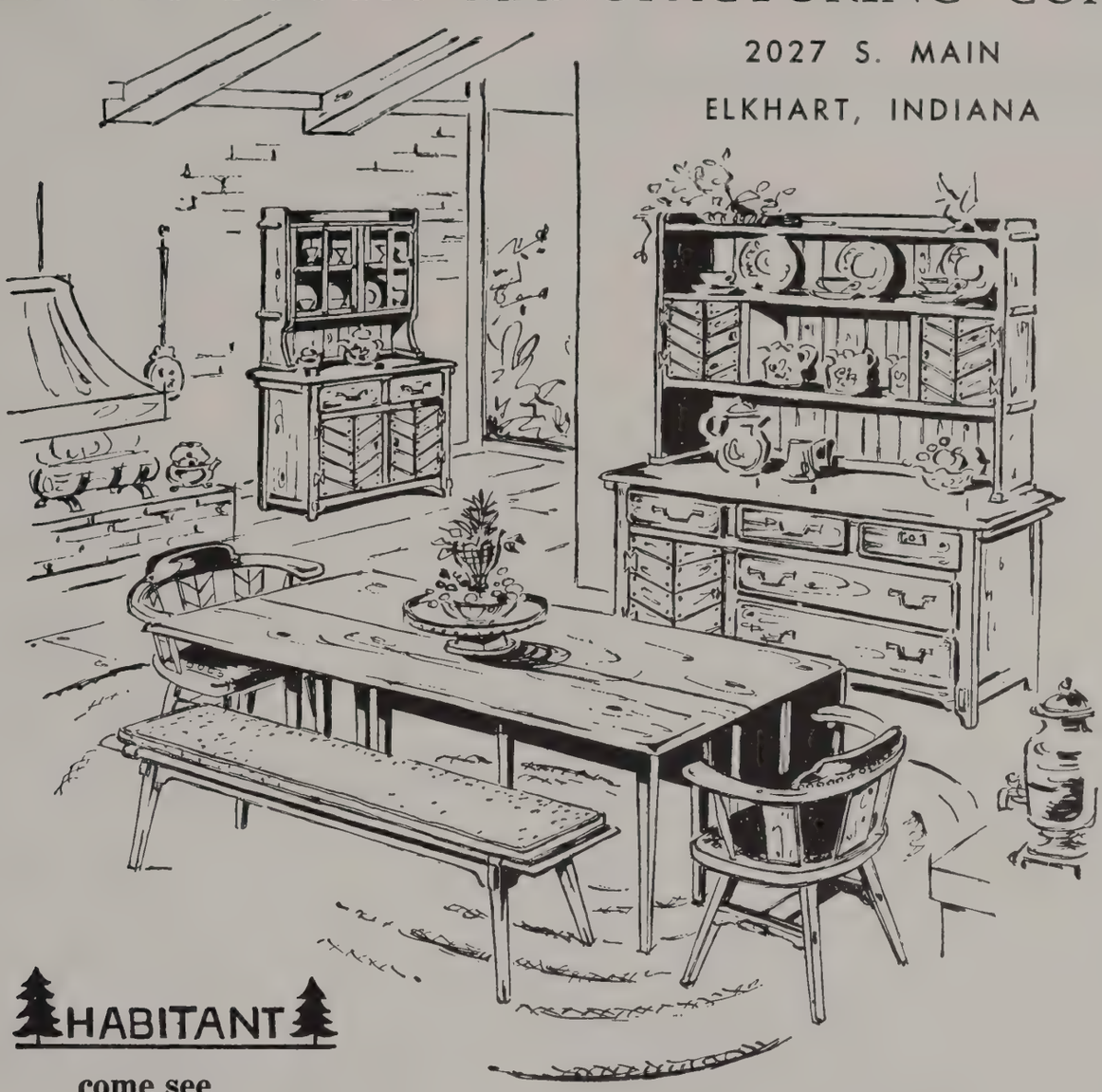
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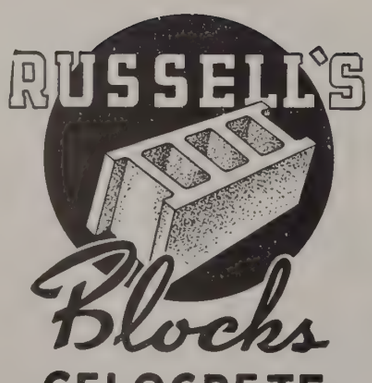
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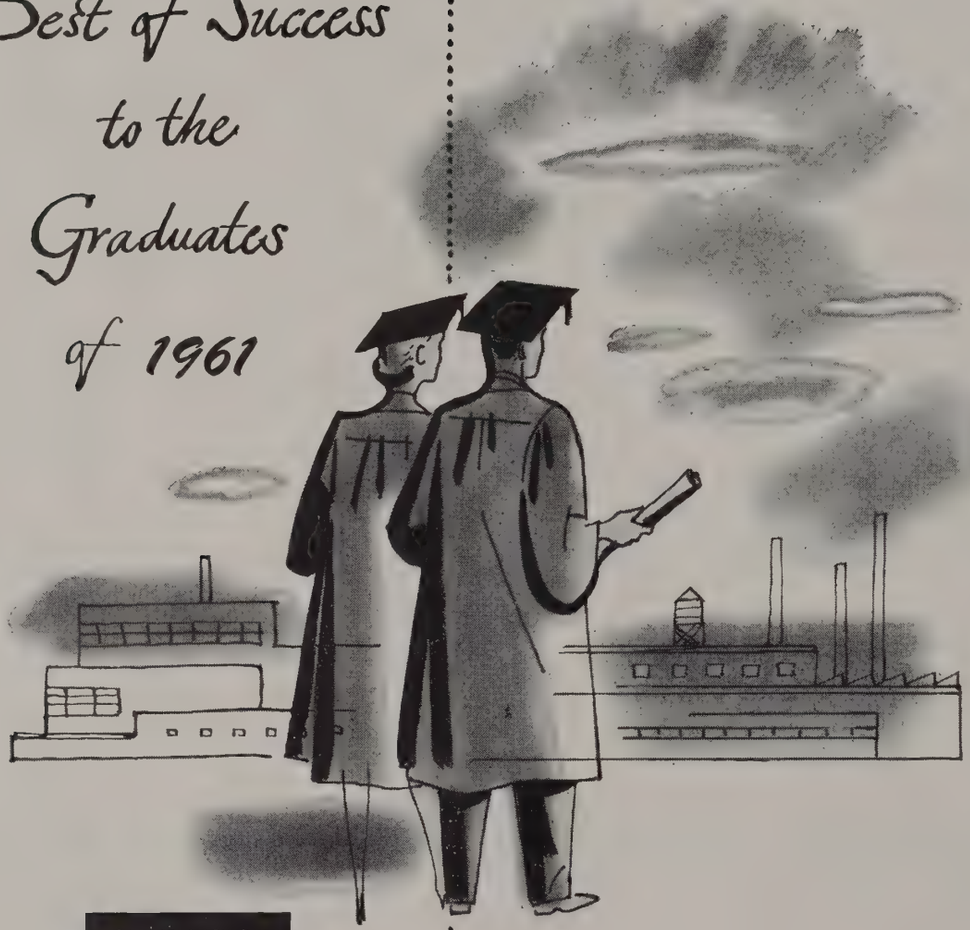
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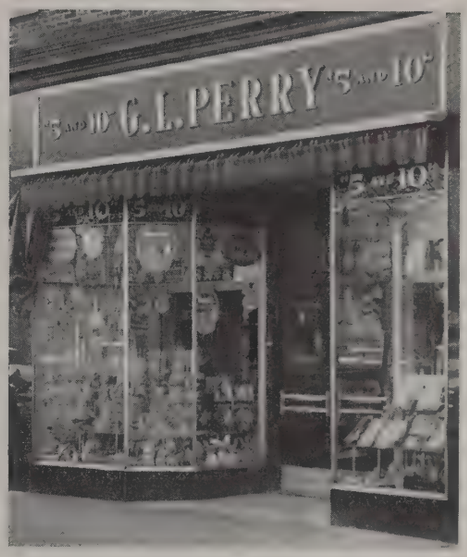
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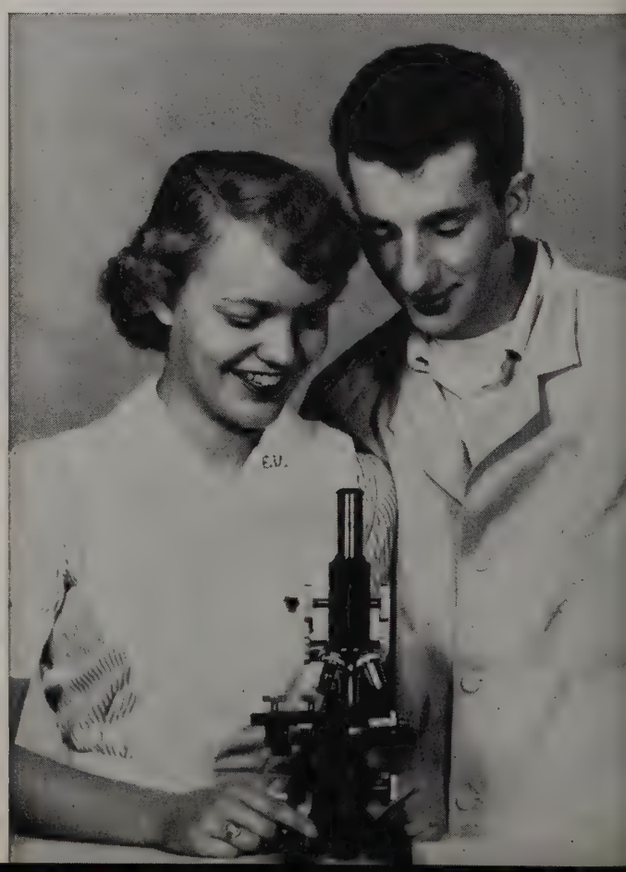
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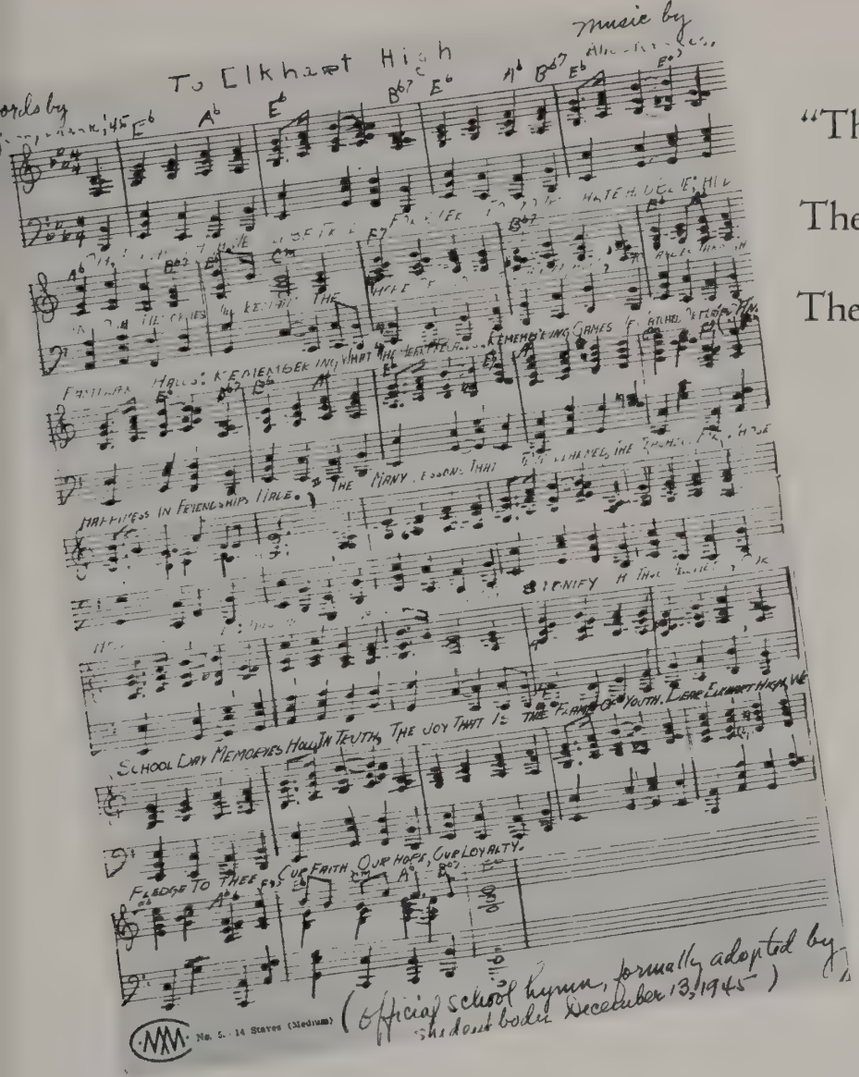
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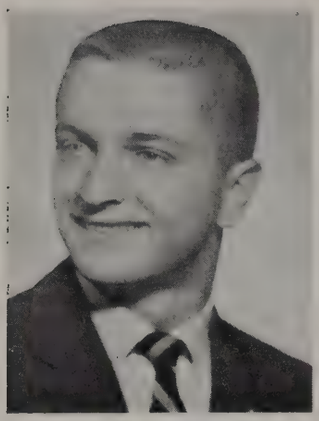
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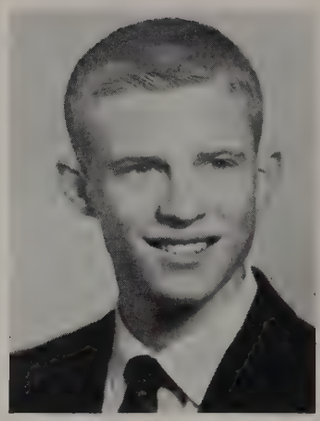
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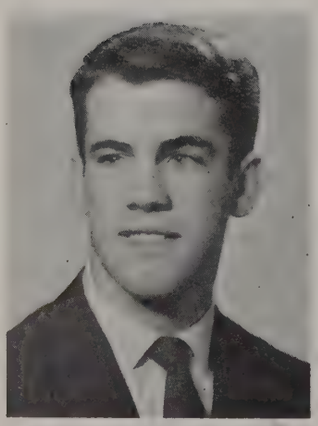


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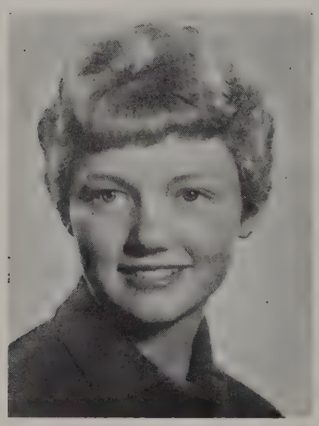
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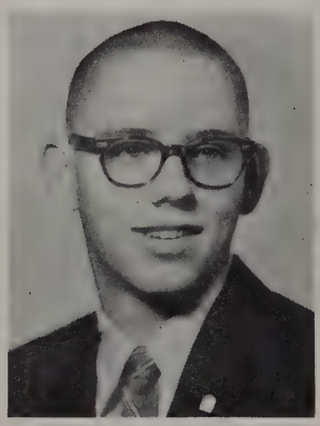
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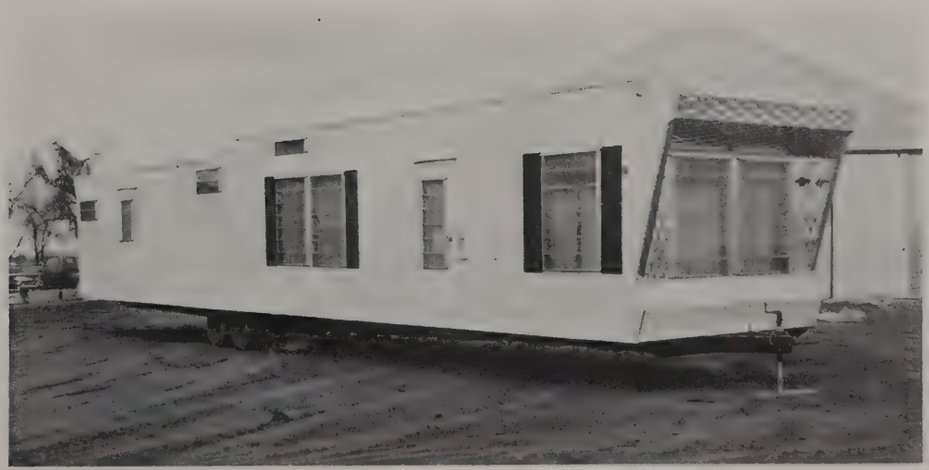
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The objects of the council, as stated in the constitution, are as follows:

The objects of this council shall be to foster, promote and extend activities, facilities, high ideals and ethics of conduct in all phases of leisure time in the City of Elkhart. These objects shall be reached through conferences, demonstrations, sponsorships when advisable and other means to provide for the wise use of leisure time.

Membership of the council is composed of five seniors, four juniors and four sophomores of Elkhart High School. Some of the specific activities of the organization are cooperation with the Y-Teens Council, sponsorship of special activities of the Parks and Recreation Dept., sponsorship of the annual dinner of the Parks and Recreation, adoption of the code of laws for conduct at dances conducted by the Junior Advisory Council and the Y-Teen Council.

The rules of conduct adopted by the two councils are kept in operation during the vacation months in the summer and the council sponsors summer vacation dances which are held twice a week in one of the parks. The council is a member of the State Youth Association and attends the Governor's Conference on recreation each year. Just last January the council held its first tenth anniversary dinner at which time all past presidents were invited and the program was conducted by the ex-presidents of the council.

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